

Pioneer and Related Families
of
Randolph and Perry Counties
Illinois

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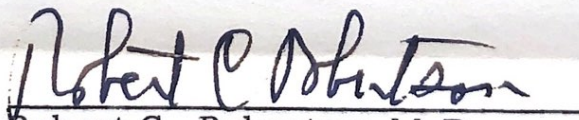
Dear Miss Ibendahl -

It is a pleasure for me to present to the Perry County Historical Society a copy of my small book PIONEER AND RELATED FAMILIES OF RANDOLPH AND PERRY COUNTIES, ILLINOIS. This work represents many years of study and research, and I hope it may prove to be of interest to several of your members. I shall appreciate the favor if you will advise them that I hope to obtain further knowledge of the families here mentioned and I shall appreciate all additional knowledge or corrections of the many errors which I am sure must be present.

One hundred copies of this book were published, the cost of publication alone being \$6.00 per copy. I have several copies on hand and shall be glad to furnish them to any interested person at that price.

With all good wishes for the success of your Society, I am

Sincerely yours,


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To
The Historical Society of Perry County Illinois
With all good wishes
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NOTES ON THE
CAMPBELL, CROZIER, FLACK,
MILLIGAN, STEELE and THOMPSON
FAMILIES

The Crawfords of Ballynease,
Londonderry, Ireland,

WITH DESCENDANTS IN THE U.S.A.

AND

Their Descendants in the
Elsy, Garven, Matthews and Robertson

Families

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In Memory of

NELLIE KATHLEEN STEELE (1887-1951)

OF

SPARTA (RANDOLPH COUNTY), ILLINOIS

whose family research inspired this volume.

INTRODUCTION

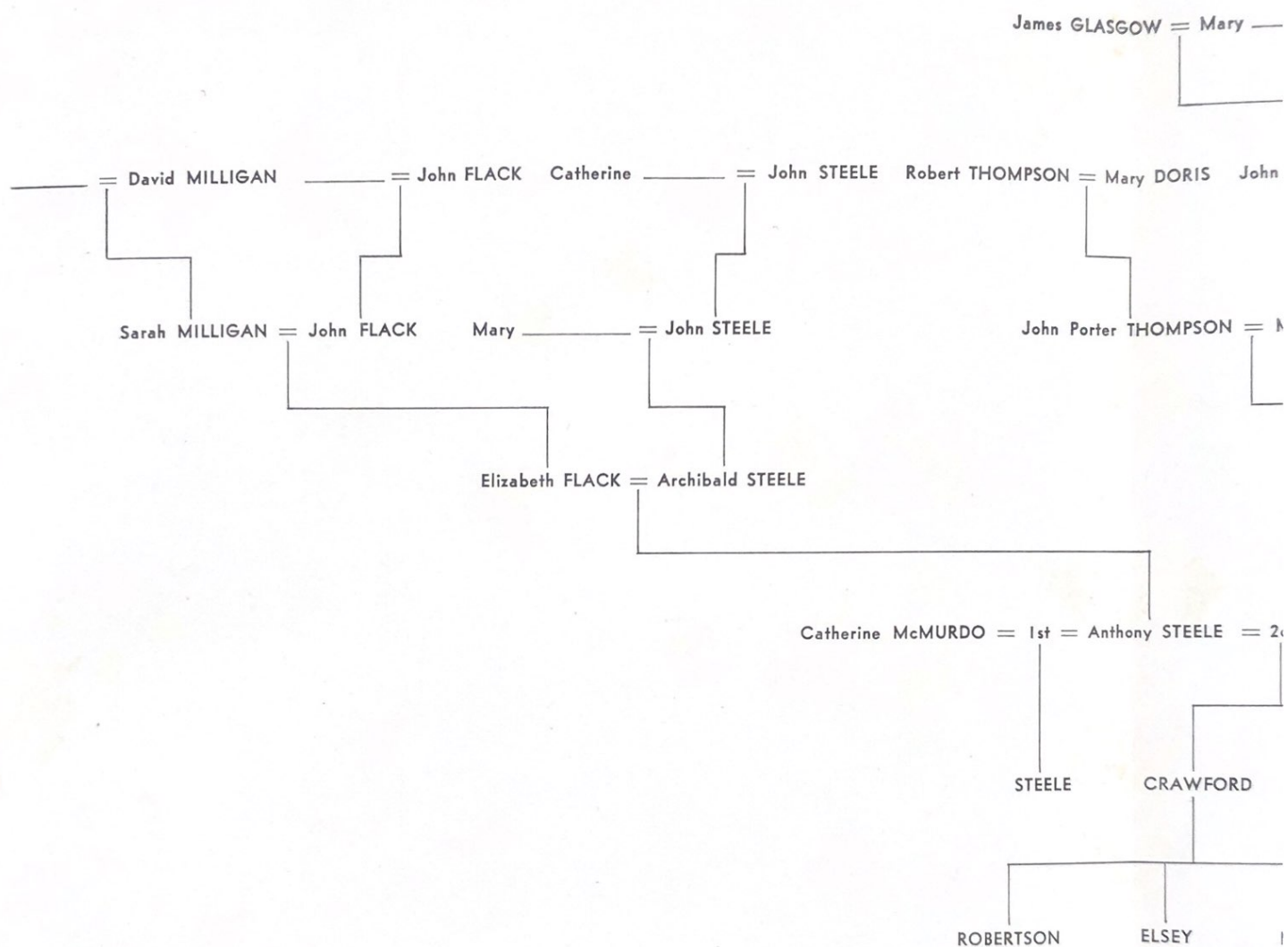
In 1922, while I was a medical student in Chicago, my late cousin, Nellie Kathleen (6) Steele of Sparta, Illinois, wrote me regarding records of the Steele family. The Newberry Library contained much material of value, although the period and places we were searching were among those in which records are scattered and incomplete. For these reasons it was necessary to visit old cemeteries, search county courthouse records, and contact various elderly members of the family. Results were slow and uncertain. The data we compiled proved so interesting that we enlarged our searches to include all of our lines of descent. Professional genealogists were engaged from time to time with varying degrees of success. The late J. B. Dodge of St. Louis, who for many years was a student and historian of early Illinois history and pioneer families in the southern counties of the state, furnished much information which could not be obtained elsewhere. With removal to another state, a busy private practice, long absence during World War II, the death of Cousin Nell and separation from large genealogical libraries, the hours available for further study have been all too few and non-productive.

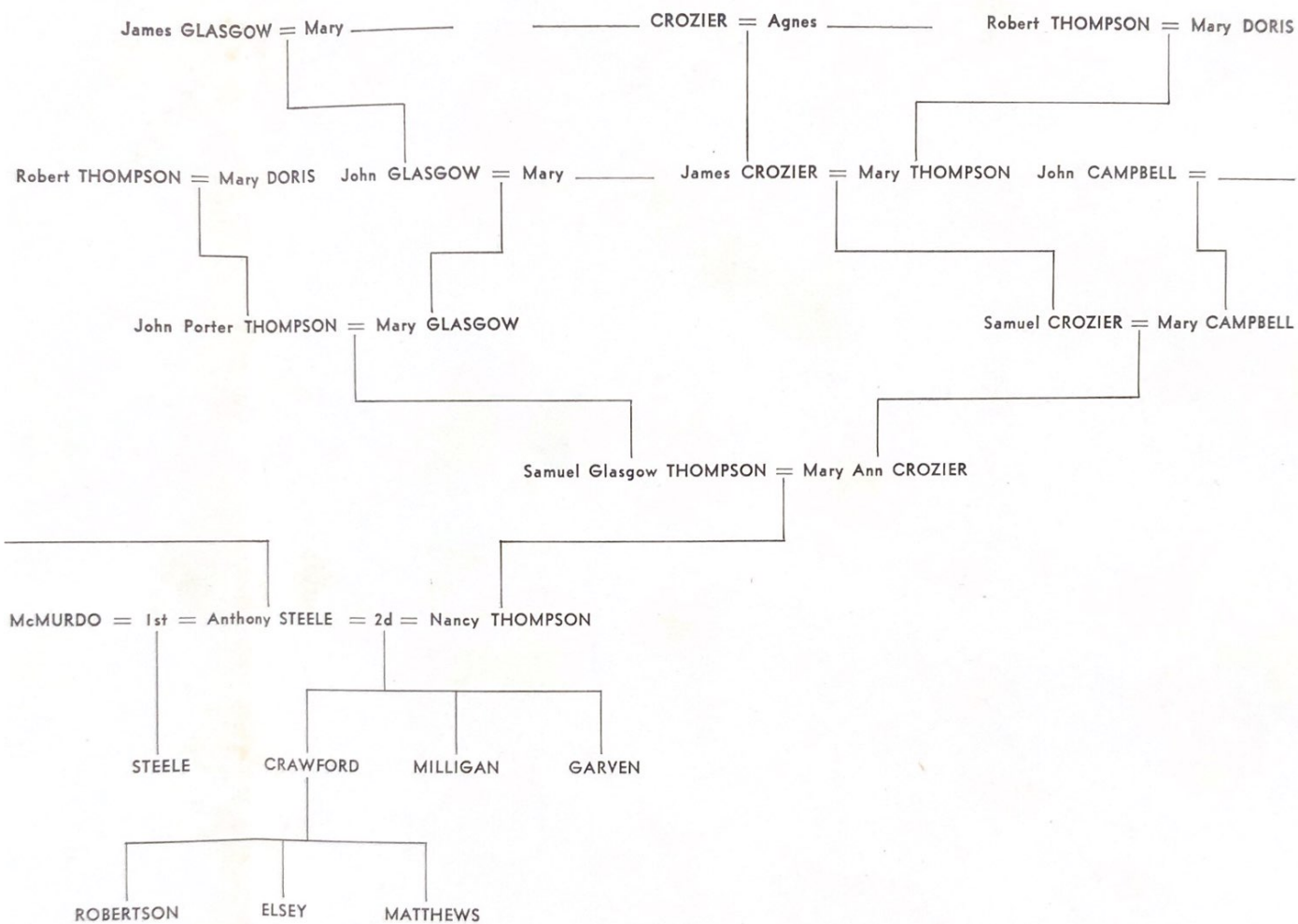
Each one of us is but the sum of his ancestry and his yesterdays. It is felt that the data collected over the years warrants publication for preservation within the various related families, as the passage of time with further loss of written records and the passing on of elder members with their knowledge of earlier generations, renders impossible even now the duplication of much of this material. I deeply regret that I am unable to obtain recent records of the Campbell and Thompson families.

To the many members of the various families who responded to letters of inquiry I shall always be grateful. For the incompleteness of this work and the many inaccuracies which I am sure must be present, I most humbly apologize.

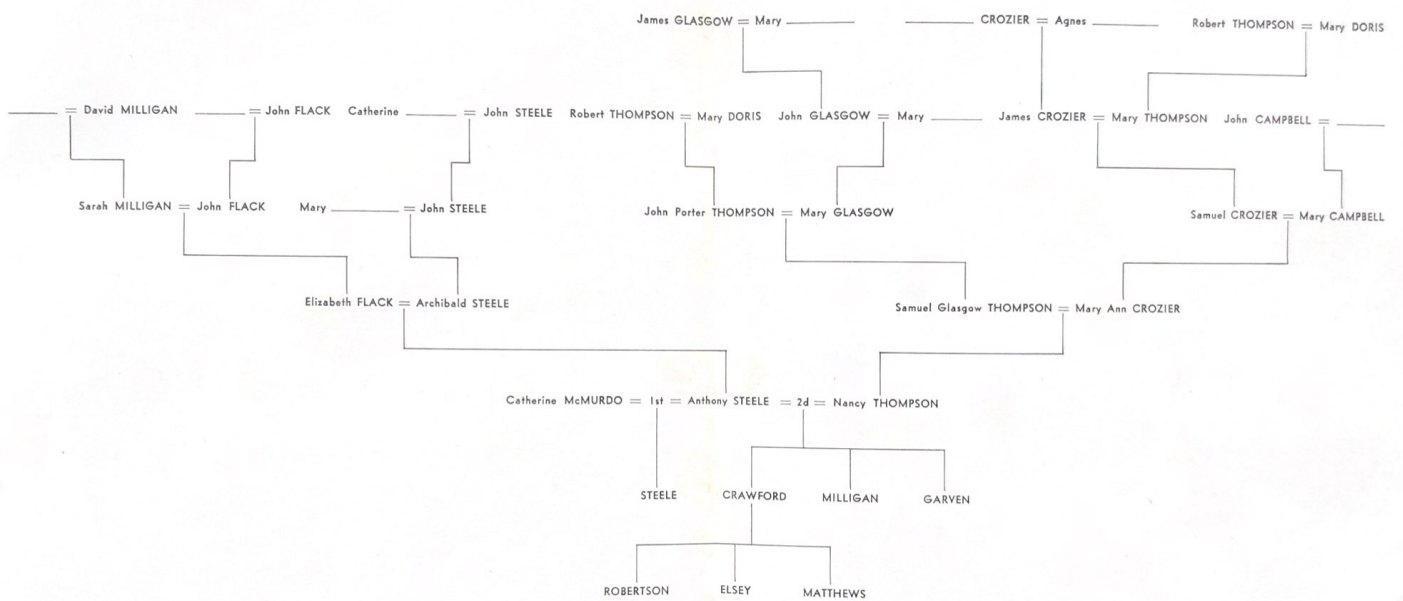
It is my hope that this small volume will prove interesting to all who descend through one or more of the families here included, that the attainments of our sturdy ancestors long before the days of our present welfare state will stimulate greater self reliance and independence in each of us in our daily lives, and that one or more of the readers may be inspired to complete these fragmentary records.

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Lines of Descent of the Crawford, Elsey, Garven, Matthews
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Through
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Notes on the
**CAMPBELL, CROZIER, FLACK, MILLIGAN,
STEELE and THOMPSON FAMILIES**

CAMPBELL

The origin of this name is not clearly established, although it is of great antiquity in Scotland, and occurs frequently in Scottish history. Colin Campbell of Lochow distinguished himself by his military abilities and was knighted by King Alexander the Third in 1280. In 1291 he was one of the nominees of Robert Bruce in the contest for the Scottish crown. In 1445, Sir Duncan Campbell was made Lord Campbell and in 1457 his grandson, Colin Campbell, was created 1st Earl of Argyle. In 1701 Archibald Campbell the 10th Earl of Argyle was created 1st Duke of Argyle, a title still within the family.

The immigrant who established our branch of the family in this country is unknown.

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John (1) CAMPBELL d: after 13 July, 1786, in Abbeville Co., S. C.; m: _____. His will dated 13 July, 1786, refers to "My three sons (names not given) and daughters, Esther and Mary."

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Children of John (1) CAMPBELL and _____.

*1. John (2) d: 1827, nr. present town of Evansville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: in Abbeville Co., S. C., Mary Agnes Crozier, b: in Abbeville Co.; d: nr. present town of Evansville. (See CROZIER—3.) In 1807 they moved from Abbeville Co., S. C., to Randolph Co., Ill., locating near the present town of Evansville. He was a farmer and a prominent man in the community. "The family were very tall, above the average height of men."

2. Archibald (2) d: in Randolph Co.; m: _____. Issue.

3. _____ (son) (2).

4. Esther (2).

*5. Mary (2) b: 1778, in Abbeville Co.; d: nr. present town of Evansville, Ill.; m: in Abbeville Co., Samuel Crozier, b: 1 August, 1775, in Abbeville Co.; d: 1834, nr. present town of Evansville. (For children see CROZIER—4.)

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THIRD GENERATION

Children of John (2) CAMPBELL and Mary Agnes Crozier.

*1. Mary Agnes (3) b: 1793, in Abbeville Co., S. C.; d: 25 Sept., 1837, in Randolph Co., Ill.; m: in Randolph Co., William Thompson, b: 4 Mar., 1792, in Abbeville Co.; d: 12 Dec., 1867, in Randolph Co., Ill. (For children see THOMPSON—4.)

*2. John C. (3) b: in Abbeville Co.; d: in Randolph Co.; m: in Randolph Co., Agnes Crozier, b: in Randolph Co.; d: in Randolph Co. (See CROZIER—4.)

*3. Samuel (3) b: 1803, in Abbeville Co.; d: 1856, in Randolph

Co.; m: Nancy Glasgow, b: 1813; d: 1876 in Randolph Co. (See THOMPSON—4)

*4. Archibald (3) d: in Randolph Co.; m: Susan (3) CAMPBELL (Archibald (2), John (1)) d: in Randolph Co.

5. Rebecca (3) d: young, in Randolph Co.; m: James G. Thompson, b: abt. 1813, in Randolph Co.; d: in Randolph Co.; No Issue. After her death he m: (2) her sister, Margaret C.

6. Nancy (3) d: 11 Mar., 1845, in Randolph Co.; m: William Gray, b: 15 Jan., 1802; d: 8 Feb., 1860, in Randolph Co. Issue.

7. Margaret C. (3) d: in Randolph Co.; m: (1) _____ Bartmer. No Issue. After his death she m: (2) James G. Thompson, b: abt. 1813 in Randolph Co.; d: in Randolph Co. Issue. He m: (1) her sister, Rebecca.

*8. James C. (3) b: 24 May, 1817, in Randolph Co.; d: in Randolph Co.; m: Elizabeth Glasgow, d: in Randolph Co. (See THOMPSON—4)

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FOURTH GENERATION

Children of John C. (3) CAMPBELL and Agnes Crozier.
(All b: Randolph Co.)

1. Crozier (4) m: Mary Endre. Issue.
2. Agnes (4) m: James Mann. Issue.
3. Mary (4) m: Joseph Smith. Issue.
4. Sarah Jane (4) m: William Shoemaker. Issue.
5. Theresia (4) m: Carlos S. Greer. Issue.

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Children of Samuel (3) CAMPBELL and Nancy Glasgow.
(All b: in Randolph Co.)

1. James (4) Unmarried.
2. Seth (4) Unmarried.
3. Mary Caroline (4) m: Frank Brown.
4. William H. (4) m: Pauline Schuline.
5. Elizabeth (4) m: Thomas Lauber.
6. John Samuel (4) Unmarried.
7. Henry (4) d: in childhood.
8. Peter (4) d: in childhood.

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Child of Archibald (3) CAMPBELL and Susan (3) CAMPBELL.

1. Theophilus (4) b: in Randolph Co. Unmarried.

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Children of James C. (3) CAMPBELL and Elizabeth Glasgow.
(All b: in Randolph Co.)

1. Samuel (4) m: Nancy Sloan. (Two daughters)

2. Letha (4) m: (1) William Johns. No Issue. m: (2) Fritz Davitz.
Issue.
3. Edward (4) d: in Mo.
4. Mary Blain (4) m: Nicholas Shape. Issue.

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CROZIER

This name is of French origin, signifying "Makers of Crosses," "Bishop's Staff," or "Shepherd's Crook." It is not uncommon in south central France. The Scottish branch of the family were probably transported northward at the time of the first crusade, and settled on the banks of the Liddell in Scotland. On February 3, 1314, Wilhelmus Crozier became the first Professor of Philosophy in the University of Scotland. William Crozier, Chief of the Clan, with his three sons—John, Samuel and William—emigrated to County Down, Ireland, about the middle of the seventeenth century. In 1692 he purchased of Sir John Mac Gill an estate called Langham, near Guilford; and another estate called Drumorun. The name of Langham was changed to Strathmore.

On 27 Feb., 1767, Agnes (1) CROZIER, a recently arrived immigrant from North Ireland, a widow and head of a family, was granted 150 acres of land in Abbeville County, S. C., each of her children receiving additional grants of 100 acres. It is unknown whether her husband died at sea enroute to the Colony, or whether he died in North Ireland prior to their departure. Her maiden name is unknown.

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_____ (1) CROZIER b: in No. Ireland; m: in No. Ireland,
Agnes _____, b: in No. Ireland; d: in Abbeville Co., S. C.

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Children of _____ (1) CROZIER and Agnes _____
(All b: in No. Ireland and d: in Abbeville, S. C.)

*1. James (2) (Will dated 27 May, 1779, proved 7 Apr., 1789)
m: in Abbeville Co., Mary Thompson, b: 27 Dec., 1753, in No. Ireland;
d: in Abbeville Co. (See THOMPSON—2.)

2. Thomas (2) Served as a Private in the Command of Colonel
Andrew Pickens (S. C.) during the War of the American Revolution.

3. Mary (2).

4. Sarah (2).

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THIRD GENERATION

Children of James (2) CROZIER and Mary THOMPSON.
(Both b: in Abbeville Co.)

*1. Samuel (3) b: 1 Aug., 1775; d: 1834, nr. present town of
Evansville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: in Abbeville Co., Mary Campbell,
b: 1778, in Abbeville Co.; d: nr. present town of Evansville. (See CAMP-
BELL—2) In 1806 they moved to Randolph Co., Ill., settling near the
present town of Evansville where he developed a farm. A State Senator
1822-4 he was described by the late Governor Thomas Ford as "A
remarkable example of the most pure, kind and single-hearted honesty."

*2. Mary Agnes (3) d: nr. present town of Evansville; m: in Abbeville Co., John Campbell d: 1827, nr. present town of Evansville. (For children see CAMPBELL—3.)

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FOURTH GENERATION

Children of Samuel (3) CROZIER and Mary Campbell.

*1. John Campbell (4) b: abt. 1796, in Abbeville Co., S. C.; d: in Randolph Co., Ill.; m: 4 Apr., 1822, in Randolph Co., Mary Lindsay, b: 25 June, 1801, in Abbeville Co., d: in Randolph Co. In 1824 they moved to the site of the present town of Red Bud (Randolph Co.)

*2. Mary Ann (4) b: 24 Aug., 1797, in Abbeville Co.; d: May, 1853, nr. Evansville, Ill.; m: 23 Dec., 1819, in Randolph Co., Samuel Glasgow Thompson, b: 7 Apr., 1799, in Abbeville Co.; d: 30 Jan., 1851, nr. Evansville. (For children see THOMPSON—4.)

*3. James (4) b: 1802, in Abbeville Co.; d: 5 Aug., 1843, at Preston, (Randolph Co.); m: 9 Oct., 1822, at Kaskaskia (Randolph Co.) Agnes Houston Mann, d: 1861, at Preston. Farmer.

*4. Andrew B. (4) d: in Randolph Co.; m: 16 Dec., 1828, at Big River (Jefferson Co.) Mo., Jane McColloch "of Missouri," d: in Randolph Co.

*5. Archibald (4) m: 19 Feb., 1834, in Randolph Co., Martha Brown Omelveny.

*6. Samuel B. (4) b: 18 Nov., 1823, in Randolph Co.; d: 15 Jan., 1853, in Randolph Co.; m: after 1835, in Randolph Co., Mrs. Sarah Pillers Thompson, widow of James (3) Thompson (See THOMPSON—3.)

*7. Agnes (4) b: in Randolph Co.; d: in Randolph Co.; m: in Randolph Co., John C. Campbell, b: in Abbeville Co.; d: in Randolph Co. (For children see CAMPBELL—4.)

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FIFTH GENERATION

Child of John Campbell (4) CROZIER and Mary Lindsay.

*1. Samuel (5) b: 11 Jan., 1822, nr. present town of Red Bud (Randolph Co.) Ill.; d: in Red Bud; m: 6 Jan., 1845, Nancy Ross, b: 3 May, 1820, nr. Waterloo (Monroe Co.) Ill. He was one of the founders of the town of Red Bud.

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Children of James (4) CROZIER and Agnes Houston Mann.
(All b: in Randolph Co.)

1. Samuel B. (5) b: 18 Nov., 1823; d: 15 Jan., 1853, at Preston (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: Mary _____.

2. Robert (5) d: at Preston, a young man.

*3. Andrew Houston (5) b: 6 Sept., 1829, at Preston; d: 2 Feb., 1875, nr. Carmi, Ill.; m: 1852, in Randolph Co. Araminta Barnett, b: 8 May, 1830, in Kentucky; d: Feb., 1893, nr. Carmi. Moved from Preston (Randolph Co.) to White Co., nr. Carmi about 1863. Farmer.

4. Mary Jane (5) m: 5 May, 1852, John H. Bratney. No issue.

5. Agnes (5) m: Jesse H. DeSpain. Issue.

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Children of Andrew B. (4) CROZIER and Jane McColloch.

1. Samuel (5).

2. Charlotte (5) m: _____ Chappel.

3. Mary Ann (5).

4. Elizabeth (5).

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Children of Archibald (4) CROZIER and Martha Brown Omelveny.

1. William (5) m: Jane Elkins.

2. Mary (5) m: _____ Davis.

3. Susanna M. (5) m: G. W. Prewett, M.D. Issue.

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Children of Samuel B. (4) CROZIER and Mrs. Sarah Pillers Thompson.

*1. Samuel Thompson (5) m: Caroline Hill.

2. Margaret Ann (5) m: (1) Kemp A. Greer. Issue. m: (2) George Harmon. Issue.

3. Nancy (5). Unmarried.

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SIXTH GENERATION

Children of Samuel (5) CROZIER and Nancy Ross.

1. Albert (6) m: Elva Snook. No Issue.

2. Colonel (6).

3. Georgia (6).

4. Ella (6) m: John Watson. Issue.

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Children of Andrew Houston (5) CROZIER and Araminta Barnett.

*1. Harvey Hardin (6) b: 1854, at Preston, Ill.; d: 1934, at Carmi, Ill.; m: 1876, in White Co., Lucy Brown, b: 1853, in White Co.; d: 1948, at Carmi. Grain dealer.

*2. Houston Barnett (6) b: 9 Jan., 1857, at Preston, Ill.; d: 4 Aug., 1940, at Carmi; m: 4 Dec., 1879, nr. Carmi, Eva Neeley, b: 28 Sept., 1863, at Rushville, Ohio; d: 25 Apr., 1935, at Carmi. Farmer.

3. Elizabeth Rachel (6) b: 1858, at Preston, Ill.; d: 1923, at Carmi; m: 7 Feb., 1881, in White Co. Rev. George Brockett, b: 1842, in White Co.; d: 1902, in White Co. Presbyterian minister. No Issue.

*4. Robert Corydon (6) b: 1864, at Preston, Ill.; d: 1912, at Eldorado, Ill.; m: 25 Nov., 1893, at Carmi, Anna Tate, b: 1869, at Carmi; d: 1953, at Benton Harbor, Mich. Grain dealer.

5. Agnes Jane (6) b: 1861, at Preston, Ill.; d: 1940, nr. Carmi; m: 26 Aug., 1891, nr. Carmi, Charles Boyd, b: 1856; d: 1938, nr. Carmi. No issue.

6. Icy Bendy (6) b: 5 July, 1867, nr. Carmi, Ill.; d: 20 Jan., 1930, at Carmi; m: 6 Apr., 1891, in White Co., John Duncan, b: 11 Mar., 1863, in White Co.; d: 19 Dec., 1902, in White Co. Issue.

7. Andrew Montgomery (6) b: 1870, nr. Carmi; d: 1942, at Carmi; m: 31 Dec., 1914, nr. Carmi, Mrs. Sarah Aud Grant, b: 1887, in White Co.; d: 20 Nov., 1933 in White Co. No Issue.

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Children of Samuel Thompson (5) CROZIER and Caroline Hill.

1. William John (6) M.D.

2. Nancy (6).

3. Margaret (6).

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SEVENTH GENERATION

Children of Harvey Hardin (6) CROZIER and Lucy Brown.
(Both b: at Carmi, Ill.)

*1. William Houston (7) b: 10 Apr., 1878; m: 10 Dec., 1913, at Nashville, Tenn., Sara Jane Worsham, b: 17 Nov., 1888, at Gallatin, Tenn.
Grain dealer, Oil distributor.
Res.: Columbia, Tenn.

*2. Fred Wagner (7) b: 13 Nov., 1888. m: Ella _____
(Divorced).
Res.: Indianapolis, Ind.

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Children of Houston Barnett (6) CROZIER and Eva Neeley.
(All b: nr. Carmi (White Co.) Ill.)

1. Ivy May (7) b: 23 Feb., 1881; m: 23 Oct., 1907, in White Co., Rev. William Hunter Hemphill, b: 1877, in Ireland; d: 18 Nov., 1942, at Ainsworth, Iowa.
Presbyterian minister. Issue.
Her Res.: Clarinda, Iowa.

2. Amy Belle (7) b: 27 Dec., 1883; d: 18 Sept., 1928, at Carmi, Ill.; m: 28 Aug., 1908, in White Co., John Silliman, b: 7 May, 1883, at Carmi; d: 4 Dec., 1955, at Carmi. Issue.

3. Margaret Araminta (7) b: 23 July, 1885; m: 4 June, 1910, in Carmi, Roy Winter, b: in Crawford Co., Ill. Issue.
Res.: Palestine, Ill.

4. Mary Adeline (7) b: 13 July, 1888; m: 1911, in Crawford Co., Ill. Victor Marlin, b: 1886, in White Co. Divorced. Issue.

Her Res.: Richmond, Va.

5. Lenora Grace (7) b: 4 Nov., 1891; m: 8 Sept., 1915, at Evansville, Ind., Frank Eugene Barnes, b: 2 July, 1887, at Norris City, Ill. Theater owner. Retired. Issue.

Res.: Carmi, Ill.

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Children of Robert Corydon (6) CROZIER and Anna Tate.
(All b: at Carmi, Ill.)

1. Lucy (7) b: 1895; m: at Eldorado, Ill., James Quellman.

Res.: Pinckneyville, Ill.

2. Thomas Tate (7) m: at Eldorado, Ill.

Res.: Chicago, Ill.

3. Andrew Harvey (7) m: Anita _____ Electrical Engineer, served in World War I.

Res.: Santiago, Chile, S. A.

4. Mattie Cloud (7) m: _____ Smith.

Res.: Benton Harbor, Mich.

5. Eleanor (7).

Res.: Los Angeles, Calif.

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EIGHTH GENERATION

Children of William Houston (7) CROZIER and Sara Jane Worsham.
(All b: at Nashville, Tenn.)

1. Julia Douglas (8) b: 12 Sept., 1914.

Res.: Nashville, Tenn.

2. Sara Brown (8) b: 24 Apr., 1916; m: 17 Aug., 1937, at Lawrenceburg, Tenn., James Andrew Scoggins, b: 13 July, 1913, at Durham, N. C.; H. S. Athletic Coach. Issue.

Res.: Pensacola, Fla.

*3. William Houston, Jr. (8) b: 30 Dec., 1917; m: 1 Dec., 1952, at Columbia, Tenn., Martha Ann Jackson, b: 18 Jan., 1928, at Columbia, Tenn.; Businessman—Oil industry. Served as Major and Lt. Colonel, U. S. Marine Corps (Aviation Section) World War II.

Res.: Columbia, Tenn.

4. Susan Elizabeth (8) b: 22 Apr., 1921; m: 16 Aug., 1945, at Columbia, Tenn., Thomas Terrence Allen, b: at New York City.

Aviation industry—American Air Lines. Issue.

Res.: El Paso, Tex.

5. Virginia Louise (8) b: 25 Mar., 1923; m: 18 July, 1946, at Columbia, Tenn., James Henry Jones, Jr., b: 20 Sept., 1920, at Columbia, Tenn. Farmer—Oil industry. Served as Captain, U. S. Army Air Corps, World War II. Issue.

Res.: Columbia, Tenn.

6. Lula Evelyn (8) b: 27 May, 1925; m: 8 July, 1950, at Columbia, Tenn., William Joe Shaw, Jr., b: at Montgomery, Ala. Businessman—V. President Woodward Iron Co. Served as Captain, U. S. Marine Corps (Aviation Section) World War II. Issue.

Res.: Birmingham, Ala.

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Children of Fred Wagner (7) CROZIER and Ella _____.

1. Harvey Fred (8).

2. Lucy Jane (8).

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NINTH GENERATION

Children of William Houston (8) CROZIER, Jr. and Martha Ann Jackson. (Both b: at Columbia, Tenn.)

1. William Houston III (9) b: 13 Sept., 1952.

2. Constance Ann (9) b: 5 May, 1954.

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c. William Houston (7) Crozier, Columbia, Tenn. (1960)

FLACK

In 1769 five brothers—Andrew, Jefferson, John, Thomas and William FLACK; and two cousins (names unknown) emigrated from County Kerry, Ireland, to Rutherford Co., N. C. Andrew moved to Guilford Co., N. C.; Thomas moved to Ky.; John, Jefferson and William remained in Rutherford Co. One cousin moved to N.Y., the other to Pa.

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John (1) FLACK b: in County Kerry, Ireland; d: 1792, in Rutherford Co., N. C.; m: in N. C., _____ d: in Rutherford Co. A farmer, he was very active in County affairs, and served several terms as Justice of the Peace. In the 1790 census his household included 5 slaves.

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Child of John (1) FLACK and _____

*1. John (2) b: abt. 1774, in Rutherford Co., N. C.; d: 22 Feb. 1836, at Galena (Jo Daviess Co.) Ill.; m: in N. C., Sarah Milligan, b: in Iredell Co., N. C.; d: before 1836, at Galena, Ill. (See MILLIGAN—2) In 1799 they moved to Ill. where he was the second permanent white settler in Perry Co., locating near the present town of Pinckneyville. Because of a disagreement with his brother-in-law, Fergus Milligan, who moved to the same vicinity from Iredell Co., N. C., in 1827, he moved with his family to Galena, Ill., about 1830.

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THIRD GENERATION

Children of John (2) FLACK and Sarah Milligan.

*1. Elizabeth (3) b: 13 May, 1796, in Rutherford Co., N. C.; d: Mar., 1874, near Steeleville (Randolph Co.,) Ill.; m: 24 Oct., 1813, in Perry Co., Ill., Archibald Steele, b: 24 July, 1789, nr. Knoxville, Tenn.; d: 9 Apr., 1859, nr. Steeleville. (For children see STEELE—4.)

*2. Abner (3) b: abt. 1797, in Rutherford Co.; d: 12 Apr., 1842, in Effingham, Ill.; (while attending the funeral of his brother Milton) m: 1829, in Ill., _____ Brown, b: in S. C.; d: in Ill. Lived in Perry Co., Ill. Farmer-Surveyor.

*3. James (3) b: 17 July, 1799, in Rutherford Co.; d: after 1881, nr. Galena, Ill.; m: _____ Lived nr. Galena.

*4. John (3) b: 1803, in Perry Co.; d: abt. 21 Oct., 1842, at Galena; m: Paulina _____, d: abt. 8 Nov., 1848, at Galena.

*5. Milton (3) b: 30 Sept., 1805, in Perry Co.; d: 2 Apr., 1842, in Effingham, Ill. Merchant. m: Matilda Susan Bourland, b: 1819; d: in Ill. After death of Milton Flack she m: (2) Joshua Bradley.

6. George Washington (3) b: 25 Dec., 1811, in Perry Co.; d: 1888, nr. Wesley, Iowa.

7. Sarah (3) Died young, unmarried.

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FOURTH GENERATION

Child of Abner (3) FLACK and _____ Brown.

*1. John Jackson (4) b: 1832, in Perry Co., Ill.; d: 2 Jan., 1911, at Boise, Idaho; m: _____, b: 1845, in England; d: 12 Dec., 1925, at Nampa, Idaho. County Surveyor. Graduate of McKendree College, Lebanon, Ill. Moved from nr. Steeleville, Ill., to Du Quoin, Ill., in 1867, and to Idaho in 1889.

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Children of James (3) FLACK and _____.

1. Marcus (4) lived nr. Galena, Ill.

2. Five daughters—names unknown.

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Children of John (3) FLACK and Paulina _____.

*1. Milton (4) d: 20 Feb., 1858, nr. Galena; m: Margaret Baudein, d: after 1858.

*2. Peter Marion (4) b: abt. 1841, nr. Stockton (Jo Daviess Co.) Ill.; d: Killed in timber accident at Stockton 1863; m: at Galena, Margaret Bardway, d: abt. 1915. Farmer.

3. Elvira (4).

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Children of Milton (3) FLACK and Matilda Susan Bourland.

1. Emily Josephine (4) b: 6 Apr., 1839; d: 13 Apr., 1940.

*2. James A. (4) b: 18 Feb., 1841, at Freemantown, Ill.; d: 22 Sept., 1918, at Effingham, Ill.; m: 19 Apr., 1866, at Effingham, Mary E. Baldwin, d: 20 Mar., 1911, at Effingham. Businessman. Served as Private-Commissary Sergeant, 26th Ill. Veteran Volunteers during Civil War. Wounded in action 22 May, 1862, at Battle of Farmington, Miss.

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FIFTH GENERATION

Children of John Jackson (4) FLACK and _____.

1. John Abner (5) d: before 1925.

2. Andrew Jackson (5).

Res.: Boise, Idaho (1925).

3. Nellie Rebecca (5).

Res.: St. Anthony, Idaho (1925).

4. Mary Violet (5) m: _____ Davis d: before 1926.

Res.: Boise, Idaho (1926).

5. Emma Eugene (5) m: _____ Shorten.
Res.: Nampa, Idaho (1926).

6. James Milton (5).
Res.: Meridan, Idaho (1925).

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Child of Milton (4) FLACK and Margaret Baudein.

1. Milton P.M. (5).

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Child of Peter Marion (4) FLACK and Margaret Bardway.

*1. Milton Marion (5) b: 13 July, 1864, nr Stockton, Ill.; d: 13 Mar., 1938, nr. Stockton; m: 28 Mar., 1882, at Galena, Ill., Sabra Landpheir, b: 6 Feb., 1865, at Galena, Ill.; d: 20 Feb., 1939, at Stockton, Ill. Farmer.

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Children of James A. (4) FLACK and Mary E. Baldwin.
(All b: at Effingham, Ill.)

*1. Edward Emerson (5) b: 25 July, 1867; d: 2 Apr., 1939, at Effingham; m: 29 June, 1893, at Effingham, Anna Laura Hough, b: 10 Oct., 1871, at Vincennes, Ind.; d: 5 Nov., 1951, at Effingham. Past President, National Association of Railroad Agents. Agent, Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

*2. William Milton (5) b: 7 Dec., 1869; d: 1 Mar., 1947, at Champaign, Ill.; m: 26 Dec., 1899, at Council Bluffs, Iowa, Mae Baldwin, b: at Champaign, Ill. Merchant-Real Estate.

Her Res.: Champaign, Ill.

3. Mary Edith (5) d: in childhood.

*4. James Wilfred (5) b: 2 Dec., 1877; m: 18 Nov., 1908, at East St. Louis, Nora Marie Murphy, b: 19 Mar., 1886, in County Kerry, Ireland. General Yardmaster, Nickel Plate R. R. (Retired).

Res.: East St. Louis, Ill.

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SIXTH GENERATION

Children of Milton Marion (5) FLACK and Sabra Landpheir.
(All b: nr. Stockton (Jo Daviess Co.) Ill.)

*1. Milton Harlo (6) b: 18 Jan., 1884; m: (1) Feb., 1910, at Stockton, Rose Nedig, b: 10 Apr., 1886, at Stockton; d: 20 Sept., 1949, at Stockton. Issue. m: (2) 22 July, 1951, Mary Schultz, b: 14 Aug., 1886, nr. Stockton. No Issue. Farmer.

Res.: Pearl City, Ill.

2. Bessie (6) b: 3 July, 1886; m: Feb., 1908, at Stockton, Roy Rife, b: 11 Nov., 1884, at Stockton. Farmer. Issue.

Res.: Warren, Ill.

3. Margaret (6) b: 8 Feb., 1888; d: 23 Dec., 1958, at Stockton; m: 3 Dec., 1914, at Stockton, George Evans, b: 26 Nov., 1886, at Stockton; d: 20 Dec., 1957, at Stockton. Farmer. No Issue.

4. Harry William (6) b: 4 Jan., 1892; m: 24 Dec., 1914, at Stockton, Hollice Pierce, b: 10 Aug., 1894, at Stockton. Farmer & School Custodian. No Issue. Two adopted children—Robert W. and Phyllis.
Res.: Stockton.

5. Sabra Jane (6) b: 2 Sept., 1893; d: 27 Nov., 1956, at Stockton; m: 24 Dec., 1914, at Stockton, Ross Pierce, b: 8 Sept., 1892, at Stockton; d: 23 Nov., 1956, at Stockton. Farmer. Issue.

*6. Frank Lester (6) b: 10 Oct., 1898; m: 1 Oct., 1920, at Hanover, Ill., Geneva Erwin, b: 29 Oct., 1898, at Hanover. Farmer.
Res.: Hanover, Ill.

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Children of Edward Emerson (5) FLACK and Anna Laura Hough.
(Both b: at Effingham, Ill.)

1. LeGrand Andrew (6) b: 4 Sept., 1895; m: 24 June, 1920, at Effingham, Mollie Marcella Hoilman, b: 2 Feb., 1896, at Tangier, Ind. No Issue. Pres. Flack Insurance Agency, Inc., served in Medical Corps, U.S. Army, World War I; National Representative Boy Scouts of America (Silver Beaver Award); Active in Presbyterian Church and Kiwanis International.

Res.: Effingham.

*2. Edward Alexander (6) b: 24 Jan., 1898; m: 1 Nov., 1919, Mary Elizabeth Webb. Chief Clerk, Ill. State Police.

Res: Effingham.

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Child of William Milton (5) FLACK and Mae Baldwin.

1. Albert Milton (6) b: 8 Sept., 1906, at Mount Vernon, Ill. Unmarried.

Res.: Champaign, Ill.

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Children of James Wilfred (5) FLACK and Nora Marie Murphy.
(All b: East St. Louis, Ill.)

1. Mary Margaret (6) b: 23 Oct., 1909; d: 5 July, 1921, at East St. Louis.

2. Nora Edith (6) b: 27 Jan., 1911; m: 28 Nov., 1936, at Belleville, Ill., George Michael Stetzen, b: 17 Aug., 1902, at East St. Louis. Accountant. Two adopted children.

Res.: East St. Louis, Ill.

3. Margaret Agnes (6) b: 27 Mar., 1913; m: 19 Sept., 1933, at East St. Louis, Frank Rountree, b: 20 Sept., 1912, at East St. Louis. Brewery Foreman. Issue.

Res.: East St. Louis, Ill.

*4. John Andrew (6) b: 12 June, 1915; m: 2 Sept., 1939, at East St. Louis, Carol Germaine Arnold, b: 24 Dec., 1922, at Thebes, Ill. Businessman.

Res.: Decatur, Georgia.

5. James Wilfred Jr. (6) b: 8 May, 1918; Seaman 1st Class, U. S. Navy. Killed in action 8 May, 1942, aboard U.S.S. Sims in Battle of the Coral Sea. Purple Heart.

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SEVENTH GENERATION

Children of Milton Harlo (6) FLACK and Rose Nedig.
(All b: at Stockton)

*1. Burtis Berdette (7) b: 11 Feb., 1912; m: 19 Feb., 1939, at Lena, Ill., Mildred Becke, b: 28 Nov., 1916, at Kent, Ill. Farmer.

Res.: Pearl City, Ill.

*2. Leonard Milton (7) b: 29 Aug., 1915; m: 12 Aug., 1937, at Nashua, Iowa, Lois Jennson, b: 5 May, 1918, at Shannon, Ill. Farmer.

Res.: Shannon, Ill.

*3. Lester La Verne (7) b: 24 Mar., 1919; m: 18 Jan., 1942, at Pearl City, Ill., Erma Keltner, b: 18 Jan., 1919, at Pearl City. Farmer.

Res.: Pearl City

4. Aleen Rose (7) b: 27 Oct., 1921; m: 22 Nov., 1941, at Homer, Ill., Kenneth Brillhart, b: 26 Aug., 1920. Bus Driver. Issue.
Hialeah, Fla.

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Children of Frank Lester (6) FLACK and Geneva Erwin.

1. Wayne (7) b: 17 May, 1921, at Stockton, Ill.; d: 9 Apr., 1959, at Dubuque, Iowa. Ammunition Inspector.

2. Janette Barnes (7) b: 2 Sept., 1922, at Stockton; m: 14 Mar., 1944, at Hanover, Ill., Myles Hass, b: 27 Jan., 1921, at Elizabeth, Ill. Fireman. Issue.

Res.: Thomson, Ill.

3. Maxine Geneva (7) b: 23 Aug., 1924, at Stockton; m: 9 Apr., 1947, at San Francisco, Cal., Ronald Wilcott, b: 2 Sept, 1922. Merchant. Issue.

Res.: St. Ignatius, Montana.

*4. Raymond Lee (7) b: 1 Feb., 1930, at Freeport, Ill.; m: 14 Feb., at Hanover, Ill., Jane Ann Calvert, b: 4 May, 1934, at Hanover. Farmer.

Res.: Hanover, Ill.

5. Kenneth La Vern (7) b: 24 Aug., 1932, at Freeport, Ill. Construction Operator.

Res.: Hanover, Ill.

6. Carol Ellen (7) b: 10 July, 1939, at Hanover, Ill.

Res.: Hanover, Ill.

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Children of Edward Alexander (6) FLACK and Mary Elizabeth Webb.
(All b: at Effingham, Ill.)

*1. Edward Frederick (7) b: 7 Sept., 1920; m: 4 July, 1942, at Effingham, Betty Jean Gilbert, b: 22 Nov., 1925, in Effingham Co., Ill. Mechanic.

2. Mary Anna Elizabeth (7) b: 6 June, 1923; m: 2 July, 1960, at Chatham, Ill., Wilmer D. Crawford, b: 19 Dec., 1919, at Caneyville, Ky. Farmer.

Res.: Springfield, Ill.

3. Arthur James (7) b: 24 July, 1925. Unmarried. School Custodian.
Res.: Effingham.

4. Dorothea Alice (7) b: 2 July, 1929; m: (1) 30 July, 1950, at Effingham, John Raymond Bell, b: 17 May, 1930, in Wayne Co., Ill.; d: 26 May, 1951, at Effingham, Issue. m: (2) 1 Apr., 1956, George Theodore Moschenrose, Factory worker. Issue.

Res.: Effingham.

5. Florence Esther Marie (7) b: 2 June, 1931; m: 9 Sept., 1953, at Effingham, Billy Gene Genaust, b: in Effingham Co., Ill. State Police Clerk. Issue.

Res.: Effingham.

6. Elizabeth Nell (7) b: 28 Mar., 1937; m: 26 Aug., 1956, at Effingham, George Edward Shumaker, b: 20 Oct., 1932, at Neoga, Ill. Farmer. Issue.

Res.: Neoga, Ill.

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Children of John Andrew (6) FLACK and Carol Germaine Arnold.
(Both b: at East St. Louis, Ill.)

1. James Thomas (7) b: 12 Dec., 1943.

2. Nancy Joanne (7) b: 10 Oct., 1949.

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EIGHTH GENERATION

Children of Burtis Burdette (7) FLACK and Mildred Becke.
(All b: at Freeport, Ill.)

1. Janet (8) b: 12 Apr., 1940; m: 27 Sept., 1958, at Lena, Ill., Richard Ferguson, b: 9 Dec., 1939, at Freeport, Ill. Engineer.
Res: Pearl City, Ill.

2. Joan (8) b: 19 Dec., 1941.

3. Sheryl (8) b: 7 Mar., 1947.

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Children of Leonard Milton (7) FLACK and Lois Jennson.
(All b: at Freeport, Ill.)

1. Charlene Kay (8) b: 28 Jan., 1941.

2. Ardith Ellen (8) b: 22 Sept., 1942.

3. Allen Leonard (8) b: 18 Jan., 1950.

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Children of Lester La Verne (7) FLACK and Erma Keltner.
(All b: at Freeport, Ill.)

1. Leverne Dale (8) b: 21 Nov., 1942.
2. Loraine Ellen (8) b: 20 July, 1944.
3. LaVonne Carol (8) b: 18 Mar., 1946.

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Children of Raymond Lee (7) FLACK and Jane Ann Calvert.
(Both b: at Savanna, Ill.)

1. Kimberly Ann (8) b: 6 Sept., 1954.
2. Raymond Todd (8) b: 22 Apr., 1957.

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Children of Edward Frederick (7) FLACK and Betty Jean Gilbert.
(All b: at Effingham, Ill.)

1. Frederick Robert (8) b: 7 Mar., 1947.
2. John Edward (8) b: 25 Mar., 1948.
3. Forrest (8) b: & d: 7 May, 1949.
4. James Raymond (8) b: 9 Jan., 1951.
5. Jean Ellen (8) b: 18 Jan., 1955.

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 - b. The late J. F. Flack (Great Grandson of William (1) Flack) Rutherfordton, N. C. (1927).
 - c. Harry William (6) Flack, Stockton, Ill. (1960).
 - d. Le Grand Andrew (6) Flack. Effingham, Ill. (1960).

MILLIGAN

This branch of the family came to the colonies from North Ireland. The immigrant was probably David (1) or his father, whose name is unknown. Fergus and James Milligan are listed in Iredell Co., N. C. in the 1790 census.

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David (1) MILLIGAN b: abt. 1760; d: abt. 1830, nr. Sparta (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: _____. With wife and younger children he first moved from Iredell Co., N. C., to Tennessee. In 1812 they moved from Tenn. to Perry Co., Ill., nr. the present town of Pinckneyville. In 1813 they again moved to Randolph Co., Ill., locating near the present town of Sparta, where they died.

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Children of David (1) MILLIGAN and _____.

*1. Sarah (2) b: in Iredell Co., N. C.; d: before 1836, at Galena (Jo Daviess Co.) Ill.; m: in N. C., John Flack, b: abt. 1774, in Rutherford Co., N. C.; d: 22 Feb., 1836, at Galena, Ill. In 1799 they moved from N. C. to Perry Co., Ill., and developed a farm near the present town of Pinckneyville. Because of a disagreement with his brother-in-law Fergus MILLIGAN, who moved to the same vicinity from Iredell Co., N. C., in 1827, he moved with his family to Galena, Ill., about 1830. (For children see FLACK—3.)

*2. Fergus (2) b: 1785, in Iredell Co., N. C.; d: 2 Mar., 1857, nr. Pinckneyville (Perry Co.) Ill.; m: in N. C., Elizabeth Patterson, b: 6 Feb., 1783; d: 1855, nr. Pinckneyville. Moved from Iredell Co., N. C., to the vicinity of the present town of Pinckneyville in 1827, where they developed a farm.

*3. James (2) b: 1 Mar., 1801, in Iredell Co., N. C.; d: nr. Ellis Grove (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: 1821, in N. C., Nancy McDonough, b: 17 Mar., 1805; d: in Randolph Co., Ill. Moved from Iredell Co., N. C., abt. 1827, locating nr. the present town of Ellis Grove, where they developed a farm.

4. David (2).
5. Hezekiah (2).
6. William (2).
7. Elvira (2).
8. Mary (2).
9. Martha (2).

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THIRD GENERATION

Children of Fergus (2) MILLIGAN and Elizabeth Patterson.
(All (?) b: in Iredell Co., N. C.)

*1. Abner Newton (3) b: 1808; d: 12 Feb., 1849, nr. Pinckneyville, Ill.; m: Apr., 1834, Eliza Woodside, b: 6 Apr., 1806.

*2. John (3) b: 9 Mar., 1810; d: 1 July, 1893, nr. Pinckeyville, Ill.; m: Sarah Baldrige, b: 1 Jan., 1813, in England; d: 6 Dec., 1881, nr. Pinckneyville. Farmer.

*3. William Russell (3) d: 24 Feb., 1883, nr. Pinckneyville; m: Minerva Jane Brown, d: 24 Feb., 1883, nr. Pinckneyville. Farmer.

4. Thomas Boston (3) d: 3 Oct., 1875, nr. Pinckneyville. Farmer. Unmarried.

*5. Milton (3) m: Euphenia _____. Farmer.

*6. Joseph Burton (3) b: 20 May, 1820; d: 30 Sept., 1895, nr. Pinckneyville; m: 1857, Mary Ann Taylor "of Indiana." School teacher, farmer.

7. Leonora (3) m: Joseph Campbell. Pharmacist. Issue.

8. Sarah (3) m: _____ Brown. Issue.

9. Eliza (3) m: John Brown. Farmer. Issue.

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Children of James (2) MILLIGAN and Nancy McDonough.
(All b: nr. Ellis Grove (Randolph Co.) Ill.)

1. Martha (3) m: 17 Mar., 1845, Alfred Gant. Issue.

*2. Thomas (3) m: Minerva Bond.

*3. Stacy (3) m: Margaret Jane Caudle.

4. David (3) Unmarried.

5. Margaret (3) m: Anton Montroy. Issue.

6. Nancy (3) m: George Morris. No Issue.

7. Henrietta (3) Unmarried.

8. Elvira (3) m: (1) John Morris, who died young, m: (2) George Ellis who m: (1) her sister Sarah.

9. Mary Ann (3) m: _____ Davis "of Joplin, Mo."

10. Elizabeth (3) m: Edward Kirk "of St. Louis, Mo."

11. Jane (3) m: _____ Presia.

12. Sarah (3) died young; m: 13 Sept., 1842, George Ellis. After her death he m: (2) her widowed sister, Elvira.

13, 14, 15, 16, & 17. Died in childhood, names unknown.

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FOURTH GENERATION

Child of Abner Newton (3) MILLIGAN and Eliza Whiteside.

*1. William Chalmer (4) b: 20 Mar., 1849; d: 2 July, 1912; m: Martha Emma Wilson, b: 13 Nov., 1849; d: 3 July, 1901.

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Children of John (3) MILLIGAN and Sarah Baldrige.
(All b: nr. Pinckneyville (Perry Co.) Ill.)

*1. William H. (4) m: Ellen McElvain.

*2. James T. (4) m: May Webb.

*3. John Newton (4) b: 22 Oct., 1843; d: 25 Aug., 1910, at Carbondale, Ill.; m: 20 Apr., 1876, nr. Steeleville, Ill., Emma Jane Steele, (5th from John (1) STEELE and Robert (1) THOMPSON—See STEELE—5) b: 20 July, 1853, nr. Steeleville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; d: 3 July, 1927, at Carbondale.

4. Sarah Justine (4) m: Benjamin Bristol.

*5. M. Theodore (4) m: Martha Heape.

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Children of William Russell (3) MILLIGAN and Minerva Jane Brown.

1. Samuel (4) m: Flora Reece.

2. Timothy (4) Unmarried.

3. Wesley (4).

4. Mary Ellen (4) m: Bissel Crawford. Farmer.

5. Luvena (4) m: Simon Walker. Merchant. *Had a store at*

6. Anzouetta (4).

7. Albert (4) b: 1 Aug., 1861; d: 23 Aug., 1876. *Pyatt Station. My brother,*

8. Horatio (4) Unmarried. *Hiram, worked in*

9. Penn (4) m: Myrtle Carson. *the store,*

10. Jane Ann (4).

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Children of Milton (3) MILLIGAN and Euphenia _____.

1. James (4) moved to New Mexico.

2. Madison (4) M.D., moved to New Mexico.

3. Myle (4) moved to New Mexico.

4. Joseph (4) moved to Kansas.

5. Mary Ann (4) d: a young girl.

6. Melissa (4) moved to New Mexico.

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Children of Joseph Burton (3) MILLIGAN and Mary Ann Taylor.
(All b: nr. Pinckneyville (Perry Co.) Ill.)

1. Laura Ellen (4) b: 6 May, 1858; m: 1886, nr. Pinckneyville, Joseph Francis Braden. Issue.

2. Joseph Burton, Jr. (4) b: 1859; d: 17 Sept., 1954. Unmarried.

3. Mary Elizabeth (4) b: 2 Sept., 1861; d: 21 Aug., 1956; m: nr. Pinckneyville, James Ramsey. Issue.

4. Eliza Ann (4) b: 1 Sept., 1863; m: 11 Sept., 1888, nr. Pinckneyville, James Moses Harris, b: 8 Apr., 1864, nr. Tamaroa, Ill.; d: 16 Feb., 1940, at St. Louis, Mo. Farmer. Issue. This remarkable lady furnished much invaluable family information that could not have been obtained otherwise.

Her Res.: Fenton, Mo.

5. Christopher Newton (4) b: 24 Sept., 1865; d: 18 May, 1877.
6. Margaret Evaneel (4) b: 4 Aug., 1868; d: 29 July, 1941; m: June, 1896, at Belleville, Ill., Demont Donaldson. Issue.
7. Howard Herbert (4) b: 11 Jan., 1873; d: 18 Aug., 1913. Unmarried.
- *8. John Winifred (4) b: 16 Nov., 1874; d: 26 July, 1947, at Coulterville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: 27 June, 1907, at St. Louis, Mo., Millie Mae McMillan, b: 13 Mar., 1879, at Coulterville. A merchant in Coulterville for many years.
Her Res.: Houston, Texas.
9. Belleveretta (4) b: 6 Aug., 1875.
Res.: St. Louis, Mo.
10. Raymond (4) b: 12 Dec., 1878; d: 18 Oct., 1946.

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Children of Thomas (3) MILLIGAN and Minerva Bond.

1. James O. (4).
2. George (4).
3. Thomas, Jr. (4).
4. Chauncey (4).
5. Nancy (4).
6. Hattie (4).
7. Cora (4).
8. Mary (4).
9. Ida (4).
10. Luella (4).

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Children of Stacy (3) MILLIGAN and Margaret Jane Caudle.

1. William Luther (4) m: Hester Ling.
2. Isaac Arthur (4) m: Clementine Ling.
3. George Ray (4).
4. Gertrude (4).
5. Stacy Commodore (4).

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FIFTH GENERATION

Children of William Chalmer (4) MILLIGAN and Martha Emma Wilson.

1. Anna (5) b: 8 Mar., 1867; d: 1941. Unmarried.
2. Irene Jane (5) b: 6 Mar., 1869; d: 18 Mar., 1929; m: Grant Anderson.
3. Martha Emma (5) b: 10 Oct., 1873; d: 5 Oct., 1941; m: Rev. Robert Andrew Chalmer Hemphill.

4. Walter Chalmer (5) b: 29 Oct., 1875; d: 13 Nov., 1942. Unmarried.

5. Buelah (5) b: 15 July, 1879.

Res.: Pinckneyville, Ill.

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Children of William H. (4) MILLIGAN and Ellen McElvain.

1. Samuel Arthur (5) b: 15 Dec., 1874.

2. Maude Estelle (5) b: 10 May, 1876.

3. Ethel Holmes (5) b: 10 July, 1877.

4. Elmer (5) b: 1879.

5. Gertrude (5) b: 13 Aug., 1880.

6. Nellie (5) b: 1882.

7. Eugene (5) b: 1884.

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Children of James T. (4) MILLIGAN and May Webb.

1. Milton (5) b: 20 May, 1896. Oil industry.

Res.: Miami, Fla.

2. Lillian (5) b: 29 Feb., 1897. Insurance.

Res.: Centralia, Ill.

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Children of John Newton (4) MILLIGAN and Emma Jane Steele.

(All b: nr. Pinckneyville (Perry Co.) Ill.)

1. Alice Justine (5) b: 22 Feb., 1878. Public school teacher (Ret.)

Res.: Carbondale, Ill.

*2. James Winfred (5) b: 19 June, 1879; m: (1) June, 1906, Mina Blair, b: 26 Dec., 1881; d: 14 Sept., 1910. No Issue. m: (2) 3 Mar., 1916, at St. Louis, Mo., Alma Eloise Cruse, b: 6 Nov., 1896, at Jonesboro, Ill. Piano Merchant—Milligan & Brockett.

Res.: Carbondale.

*3. Helen Adella (5) b: 17 Aug., 1881; d: 11 Apr., 1927, at Carbondale; m: 27 May, 1912, nr. Pinckneyville, Andrew Strang Brockett, b: 25 Jan., 1878, at Carmi, Ill. Piano merchant—Milligan & Brockett.

4. Eunice Blanche (5) b: 2 Dec., 1882; d: 30 Jan., 1959, at Carbondale; m: 28 June, 1929, at Oswego, Ill., Andrew Strang Brockett, He m: (1) Helen Adella, her elder sister. No Issue.

Res.: Carbondale.

5. John Baldridge (5) b: 2 Sept., 1884; d: 28 May, 1886, nr. Pinckneyville.

6. Homer Anthony (5) b: 16 Nov., 1886; m: 23 Oct., 1925, at Vienna, Ill., Nellie Ruth Dillow, b: 12 Aug., 1896, at Cobden, Ill. No Issue. Salesman. Served as Private, Infantry, U.S. Army, World War I.

Res.: Carbondale.

7. Florence Hope (5) b: 16 Oct., 1888; m: 1 July, 1925, at

Oswego, Ill., Clark Bissell, b: 19 June, 1893, at Richland, Mich. No issue. Civil engineer.

Res.: Carbondale.

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Children of M. Theodore (4) MILLIGAN and Martha Heape.

1. Roy Heape (5) M.D. b: 13 Oct., 1889; d: 18 Aug., 1949; m: 27 June, 1917, Celeste Cannon.

Her Res.: St. Louis, Mo.

2. Harold Holmes (5) b: 14 Dec., 1892; d: 15 Apr., 1945; m: 7 June, 1924, Agnes Woolger. Attorney.

Her Res.: St. Louis, Mo.

3. Paul (5) died in infancy.

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Children of John Winifred (4) MILLIGAN and Millie Mae McMillan. (Both b: at Coulterville, Ill.)

1. Winifred Oliver (5) M.A., Ph.D., Sc.D. b: 5 Nov., 1908; m: 5 Dec., 1936, Ester Pearl Herring, d: 3 Mar., 1959, at Houston, Tex. No issue. Professor of Chemistry, The Rice Institute; Director of Research, The Robert A. Welch Foundation, Research Chemist.

Res.: Houston, Tex.

2. Bessie Mae (5) b: 27 May, 1912; m: 17 May, 1935, at Coulterville, Walter Robert Love, b: 26 Dec., 1911. Issue.

Res.: Sparta, Ill.

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SIXTH GENERATION

Children of James Winfred (5) MILLIGAN and Alma Eloise Cruse. (All b: at Carbondale.)

*1. John Cruse (6) b: 1 Aug., 1917; m: (1) July, 1937, Florence McCarry. No issue. m: (2) in New York, Jane Smyth, b: N. Y. Vice-Pres. Kollmorgan Optical Corp. Served as Lieutenant U. S. Navy. World War II.

Res.: East Hampton, Mass.

2. Eva Jane (6) b: 16 Nov., 1919. Personnel Manager, Marshall Field.

Res.: Chicago, Ill.

*3. Betty (6) b: 1 July, 1923; m: 16 Dec., 1947, at Osceola, Ark., Carl Baggett, b: 18 Nov., 1911, at Carbondale.

Res.: Carbondale.

*4. Mildred Eloise (6) b: 26 Nov., 1926; m: at Evansville, Ind., Captain Earl Walter Gray, b: 12 July, 1925, in Ill.; Officer U.S. Air Force. Served in World War II and Korean War.

Res.: Turkey. (1960)

*5. James Ray (6) b: 19 Apr., 1928; m: 25 July, 1953, Jan Pettee, b: 10 Mar., 1929, at Hallowell, Me. Businessman—Piano Salesman. Served as Airman 3rd Class U.S. Air Force, Korean War.

Res.: Belleville, Ill.

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Child of Helen Adella (5) Milligan and Andrew Strang BROCKETT.

*1. Andrew Yale (6) b: 3 May, 1912, at Carmi, Ill.; m: 25 Dec., 1937, at Gary, Ind., Kathleen Erwin, b: 3 May, 1918, at Chillicothe, Mo. Photographer.

Res.: Chicago, Ill.

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SEVENTH GENERATION

Children of John Cruse (6) MILLIGAN and Jane Smyth.
(Both b: at Northampton, Mass.)

1. John Kevin (7) b: 20 Dec., 1953.
2. Sheila Ann (7) b: 27 June, 1956.

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Children of Betty (6) Milligan and Carl BAGGETT.
(Both b: at Carbondale.)

1. Carla Ann (7) b: 17 Sept., 1946.
2. Carl Brian (7) b: 11 Sept., 1956.

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Children of Mildred Eloise (6) Milligan and Captain Earl Walter GRAY.

1. Phillip Earl (7) b: 12 Apr., 1945, at Carbondale, Ill.
2. Rebecca Ann (7) b: 25 Dec., 1948, at Carbondale, Ill.
3. Matthew Scott (7) b: 27 Mar., 1956, at Spokane, Wash.

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Children of James Ray (6) MILLIGAN and Jan Pettee.

1. Kristen Lee (7).
2. Katherine Alice (7) Twins. b: 28 Sept., 1955, at Carbondale.

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Children of Andrew Yale (6) BROCKETT and Kathleen Erwin.
(Both b: at Chicago).

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 - b. The late J. B. Dodge, St. Louis, Mo. (1926-7)
 - c. Mrs. Eliza (4) Milligan Harris, Fenton, Mo. (1959-60)
 - d. Miss Alice (5) Milligan, Carbondale, Ill. (1958-60)

S T E E L E

The name STEELE or STEEL is thought to be of ancient Danish origin, derived from the name Staal, meaning strong or hard. It occurs on ancient records in England as Staal, Stel, Stele, Steell, Steel and Steele. Among early records of the family bearing this name are Robert Stele of Lincolnshire in 1273; John Stel of Suffolk Co. about the same time; and Johannes Stele of Yorkshire in 1379.

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Randolph County, Illinois, histories state that this branch of the family were Scotch-Irish and came to the colonies from North Ireland. The late Henry B. (5) STEELE stated that in his youth he often studied the family Bible records—since destroyed by fire—and that the immigrants were John Steele, his wife, Catherine _____, and son, John—then 17 or 18 years of age—who came to South Carolina from England about 1755, and that John and Catherine died in South Carolina. The late Robert D. (5) STEELE also stated that the family came to this country from England. Until further evidence is obtained these statements must be accepted. Early records are incomplete and scattered in North and South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia. Documentary evidence of residence has not been found in any of these states.

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John (1) STEELE b: in England; d: in S.C.; m: Catherine _____
b: in England; d: in S.C. Emigrated from England to S.C. about 1755 where they purchased land and remained.

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Child of John (1) STEELE and Catherine _____.

*1. John (2) b: abt. 1737, in England; d: 11 Sept., 1820, nr. present town of Steeleville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: Mary _____, b: Dec., 1757; d: 18 May, 1819, nr. present town of Steeleville. He lived in Virginia for an unknown time, and served as Captain of a Company of Virginia troops during the War of the American Revolution. (See *Revolutionary Soldiers Buried in Illinois* and Co. Histories.) Service records of the War of the Revolution and the War of 1812 are very incomplete. The Adjutant General's office has no record of his military service. His name does not appear in the Bureau of Pensions, nor in the General Land Office records. Following the end of the war, he with his family moved from Virginia to Tennessee; where they lived successively in or near Knoxville, Nashville, and Sumner County. In 1807 he again moved with his family to Randolph County, Ill., and was the first permanent white settler in the vicinity of the present town of Steeleville. Montague states "He possessed a remarkable degree of self reliance and courage—A man of sterling worth, a noble speciman of the Pioneer."

THIRD GENERATION

Children of John (2) STEELE and Mary _____.

*1 Catherine (3) b: 14 Feb., 1784, in Va. or Tenn.; d: 11 Nov., 1869, nr. Steeleville, Ill.; m: in Tenn., _____ Steele, d: in Tenn. A widow with four children she came with her parents to Randolph Co., Ill., in 1807.

*2. George (3) b: 19 Mar., 1786, in Va. or Tenn.; d: 25 Feb., 1851, at Steeleville; m: 8 Jan., 1821, Nancy _____, b: 14 Feb., 1786; d: 25 Apr., 1848, at Steeleville.

The original proprietor and founder of Steeleville, he moved to the site of the town in 1810. In 1812 he built a fort for protection against the Kickapoo Indians and served in the ranger service. In 1825, he built a mill, powered by oxen walking on a tread. In 1827 a post office was established as Steel's Mill. The name was changed to Georgetown in his honor. The first church was organized in 1834 by Rev. Eli Short. On 16 Feb., 1836, the town of Steeleville was laid out, surveyed and platted by James Thompson. (See THOMPSON—3). In 1838-9 George STEELE erected the first brick dwelling in the town.

*3. Archibald (3) b: 24 July, 1789, nr. Knoxville, Tenn.; d: 9 Apr., 1859, nr. Steeleville; m: 24 Oct., 1813, in Perry Co., Ill., Elizabeth Flack, b: 13 May, 1796, in Rutherford Co., N.C.; d: Mar., 1874, nr. Steeleville. (See FLACK—3).

A farmer, he served in the War of 1812 as a Private in Capt. Absalom Cox's Co., 1st Ill. Militia, 3 Sept.-16 Nov., 1812; and as a Private in Capt. William Boon's Co. of Mounted Volunteers, Col. Ferguson's Command, Ill. Militia, 22 Mar.-5 June, 1813.

*4. John (3) b: 22 Sept., 1790, in Tenn.; d: 11 Dec., 1851, nr. Steeleville; m: 1818, Elizabeth Davis.

*5. James (3) b: in Tenn.; d: abt. 1864 in Wisconsin; m: Matilda White. A farmer, he served as a Private in Capt. John Cochran's Co., 1st Ill. Militia in War of 1812. Moved from Randolph Co. to Wisconsin about 1848.

*6. Thomas (3) b: in Tenn.; d: nr. Steeleville; m: 12 Apr., 1824, Nancy Holloman.

7. Elizabeth (3) b: in Tenn.; m: (1) in Randolph Co., John McCallester. No Issue; m: (2) in Randolph Co., George Creth. No Issue.

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FOURTH GENERATION

Children of Catherine (3) STEELE and _____ STEELE.
(All b: in Tenn.)

1. Harvey (4).
2. James (4).
3. Vian (4).
4. Polly (4).

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Children of George (3) STEELE and Nancy _____
(All b: nr. Steeleville)

*1. Thomas (4) b: 1822; d: nr. Steeleville; m: (1) Mary Culley.
Issue. m: (2) Nancy Doty. Issue.

2. James (4) b: 1823; d: Killed in action 23 Feb., 1847, in Battle
of Buena Vista, Mexico. Served as Sergeant to 2nd Lieutenant in 2nd
Regiment (Bissell's) Ill. Foot Volunteers in Mexican War.

3. Malinda (4) m: 22 Dec., 1835, nr. Steeleville, Isaac Brown.

4. Mariah (4) m: nr. Steeleville _____ Brown.

5. Reneah (4) m: nr. Steeleville, Jack Malone.

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Children of Archibald (3) STEELE and Elizabeth Flack.
(All b: nr. Steeleville)

*1. Anthony (4) b: 20 Sept., 1815; d: 4 Aug., 1898, at Coulterville
(Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: (1) 31 Mar., 1844, in Randolph Co., Catherine
McMurdo, b: 23 May, 1823, in Randolph Co.; d: 1 Mar., 1845, nr.
Steeleville, m: (2) 18 Nov., 1847, nr. Preston, (Randolph Co.) Ill.,
Nancy Thompson, b: 4 Feb., 1827, nr. Preston; d: 2 Aug., 1902, at
Coulterville. (See THOMPSON—4.) A farmer, cattleman and county
official, he owned more than 1600 acres of land. Sheriff 1858; School
Trustee, Treasurer or Director for more than 30 years; County Delegate
to Republican State Convention for many years; Assistant County Enroll-
ing Officer during Civil war; Census Commissioner 1870. He reared sev-
enteen orphans, the children of relatives and friends, and although at one
time a man of much substance he died poor, the result of unwisely en-
dorsing many notes for his friends.

*2. Jefferson (4) b: 10 Aug., 1817; d: 5 Mar., 1871, at Steeleville;
m: 26 Apr., 1841, Nancy Garner.

*3. Rilen (4) b: 25 Mar., 1823; d: at Steeleville; m: 1846, Nancy
Morrison.

*4. Delila (4) b: 1823; d: 1859; m: nr. Steeleville, Richard Shrews-
berry.

*5. Lucinda (4) b: 5 Jan., 1826; d: 5 Jan., 1888, at Sparta (Ran-
dolph Co.) Ill.; m: 1849, nr. Steeleville, Edmund Hill, b: 12 June, 1812,
at Contoocook, N. H.; d: 12 Nov., 1872, at Sparta.

*6. Merritt (4) b: 1 Feb., 1829; d: 25 Feb., 1897, nr. Steeleville; m:
Jane McMurdo, b: Mar., 1828, in Randolph Co.; d: 16 Apr., 1869, in
Randolph Co.

*7. Jasper (4) m: Fannie Brown.

*8. Mahala (4) m: nr. Steeleville, John Morrison.

*9. Harriett (4) b: 6 Aug., 1834; d: 25 Apr., 1917, at St. Louis,
Mo.; m: 17 May, 1853, nr. Steeleville, William McMurdo, b: 20 Mar.,
1818, in Randolph Co.; d: 8 Feb., 1872, in Randolph Co.

*10. Minerva (4) m: Marion Cohen. He served in 30th Ill. Infantry
during Civil War.

*11. Lindsay (4) b: 1838; m: Sarah Perkins. Served as Corporal to Captain in 30th Ill. Infantry in Civil War. Wounded in action in three different battles—Fort Donelson 15 Feb., 1862, Siege of Vicksburg May, 1863, and Kenesaw Mountain 27 June, 1864.

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Children of John (3) STEELE and Elizabeth Davis.
(All b: nr. Steeleville)

1. Martin (4) m: (1) 1868, _____; m: (2) _____ Badgely. He served as a Private in 30th Ill. Infantry during Civil War.

2. Alfred (4) m: _____. One known child, Louis (5).

3. Matthew (4).

4. Marion (4) m: Martha Mann.

5. Elvira (4).

6. Huldah (4) m: _____ Bilderback.

7. Cynthia (4) m: John Parkhill.

8. Margaret E. (4) m: _____ Baufman.

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Children of James (3) STEELE and Matilda White.
(All b: nr. Steeleville)

1. Sidney (4) m: (1) Mary Campbell. m: (2) Belle Morrison.

2. Francis de Lafayette (4) b: 1831; d: 6 Feb., 1846, nr. Steeleville.

3. Araminta (4) m: 4 Apr., 1840, nr. Steeleville, James B. Rogers.

4. Martha (4).

5. Margaret (4).

6. Sarah (4).

7. Mary (4).

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Children of Thomas (3) STEELE and Nancy Holloman.

1. Wilson (4).

2. Carl (4).

3. Romina (4).

4. Rosalvey (4).

5. Fidelia (4).

6. Emily (4).

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FIFTH GENERATION

Child of Thomas (4) STEELE and 1st wife—Mary Culley.

1. George (5) b: 1849, nr. Steeleville; d: abt. 26 July, 1924, at St. Louis, Mo.; m: Lucinda Agnes (5) Hill (Lucinda (4) Archibald (3) John (2) John (1)).

Children of Thomas (4) STEELE and 2nd wife—Nancy Doty.
(All b: nr. Steeleville)

1. Robert D. (5) b: 13 Dec., 1856; d: after 1926, at Vergennes, Ill.
2. Jane (5) d: abt. 1920.
3. "W. J." (5) d: abt. 1917.

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Child of Anthony (4) STEELE and 1st wife Catherine McMurdo.

*1. Joseph (5) b: 5 Feb., 1845, nr. Steeleville; d: 12 June, 1930, at Sparta (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: 13 May, 1875, nr. Steeleville, Ellen Campbell, b: 2 Sept., 1848, at Steeleville; d: 13 Feb., 1916, at Sparta. Dau. of John Campbell and Jane Lively; G-dau. of Alexander Campbell and Jane Collie, who moved from Smith Co., Tenn., to Randolph Co., Ill., in 1819, locating near the present town of Steeleville. For many years he was a U. S. Mail Clerk serving on the Illinois Central and Mobile and Ohio Railroads.

Children of Anthony (4) STEELE and 2nd wife, Nancy Thompson.
(All b: nr. Steeleville)

*1. Mary Ann (5) b: 25 Sept., 1849; d: 26 May, 1884, at Coulterville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: 17 May, 1866, nr. Steeleville, William John Crawford, b: 29 Jan., 1838, at Ballynease, nr. Portglenone, Ireland; d: 29 Nov., 1897, at Coulterville. (For children see CRAWFORD—6.)

*2. Emma Jane (5) b: 20 July, 1853; d: 3 July, 1927, at Carbondale, (Jackson Co.) Ill.; m: 20 April, 1876, nr. Steeleville, John Newton Milligan, b: 22 Oct., 1843, nr. Pinckneyville (Perry Co.) Ill.; d: 25 Aug., 1910, at Carbondale. (For children see MILLIGAN—5.)

3. Martha (5) b: 23 Feb., 1854; d: In early childhood.

4. Abner (5) b: 9 Feb., 1856; d: 31 July, 1922, at East St. Louis, Ill. Unmarried.

*5. Caroline (5) b: 25 June, 1860; d: 23 July, 1933, at Coulterville; m: 11 Dec., 1884, nr. Steeleville, Elmer Garven, b: 2 July, 1861, nr. Sparta, Ill.; d: 22 Nov., 1947, at Coulterville. Carpenter and building contractor. (For children see GARVEN—6.)

6. Margaret Idella (5) b: 25 Feb., 1862; d: 18 Sept., 1882, nr. Steeleville. Unmarried.

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Children of Jefferson (4) STEELE and Nancy Garner.

1. Sebrum (5).
2. Lafayette (5).
3. Archibald (5).

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Children of Rilen (4) STEELE and Nancy Morrison.

1. Morrison (5) d: in infancy.

2. Henry B. (5) b: 7 June, 1848, at Steeleville; d: after 1935, in Randolph Co.; m: 3 Apr., 1873, at Steeleville, Dollie Campbell, b: 23 Mar., 1846, at Steeleville. Issue.

3. Jane (5) m: Henry Short. No Issue.

4. Samuel (5) Unmarried.

5. Belle (5) m: Julius Cross. Issue.

6. Lucinda (5) m: 3 Apr., 1873, David McConachie. Issue.

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Children of Delila (4) Steele and Richard SHREWSBERRY.

1. John (5) m: Mary Campbell.

2. Millie (5) m: Doren Blair.

3. Archibald (5) Unmarried.

4. Ralph (5) Unmarried.

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Children of Lucinda (4) Steele and Edmund HILL.

(All b: at Sparta (Randolph Co.) Ill.

1. Elizabeth Ruth (5) b: 8 Aug., 1850; d: 29 Jan., 1901; m: E. M. Been. Issue.

2. Ellen J. (5) b: 6 Feb., 1852; d: 27 June, 1935; m: William McConachie. Issue.

3. Lucinda Agnes (5) b: 21 Apr., 1854; d: 29 Aug., 1936; m: George (5) Steele (Thomas (4), George (3), John (2), John (1)); b: 1849, nr. Steeleville; d: abt. 26 July, 1924 at St. Louis, Mo. Issue.

4. Thomas W. (5) b: 26 Aug., 1855; d: 22 May, 1923, at Marion, Ill.; m: Kitty Arven. Issue.

5. Minerva A. (5) b: 21 Mar., 1857; m: 30 Aug., 1887, Henry Pilers, b: 19 Feb., 1857. Issue.

6. Mary A. (5) b: 30 June, 1859; d: 6 Feb., 1937; m: Lonnie Beattie. Issue.

7. Clarence Jefferson (5). Unmarried.

8. Melville G. (5) b: 14 Sept., 1865; d: 24 May, 1925; m: Ruth Brown. Issue.

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Children of Merritt (4) STEELE and Jane McMurdo.

(All b: in Randolph Co.)

1. Jane (5) m: Edward Uhles. Issue.

2. Elizabeth (5) m: James Dixon. Issue.

3. Catherine (5) b: 11 Mar., 1857; m: 6 Dec., 1880, Robert Blair, b: 5 Sept., 1857; d: 20 May, 1905. Issue.

4. Thomas (5) b: 2 Oct., 1863; m: 11 Aug., 1892, in Randolph Co., Edith Kline, b: 16 Dec., 1866, in Germany. Issue.

5. Loretta (5) m: Charles Spinks. No Issue.

6. William (5) m: Susanne McKee. Issue.

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Children of Jasper (4) STEELE and Fannie Brown.

1. Herbert (5) m: _____ Whirley.
2. Edward (5).

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Children of Mahala (4) Steele and John MORRISON.

1. Matilda (5) m: William McCoy. Issue.
2. Elizabeth (5) m: William Tate. Issue.
3. Jane (5) m: John Hart. Issue.
4. Nancy (5) m: Mack Pear. Issue.
5. James (5) Unmarried.
6. Archibald (5) m: Catherine Nolte. Issue.
7. Henry (5) Unmarried.

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Children of Harriett (4) Steele and William McMURDO.
(All b: in Randolph Co.)

1. Millard (5) b: 27 Sept., 1856; m: (1) 26 Sept., 1876, in Randolph Co., Mattie Finley, b: 5 Jan., 1854; d: 30 Nov., 1917, at Marissa, Ill. Issue. m: (2) 19 Oct., 1920, at Marissa, Ill., Lula Little Borders, b: 21 Dec., 1859. No Issue.
2. Catherine (5) b: 13 Sept., 1854; d: 5 June, 1874. Unmarried.
3. Isa (5) b: 6 July, 1867; d: 1921; m: 8 May, 1901, Matthew Marshall, b: 9 Sept., 1867; d: 11 Oct., 1921, at St. Louis, Mo. No Issue.
4. Minnie (5) m: Charles Glenn. Issue.
5. Joseph (5) b: 4 Sept., 1869; d: 19 Jan., 1908, at E. St. Louis, Ill.; m: 19 Oct., 1898, at Belleville, Ill., Bessie Rogers, b: 24 July, 1876. Issue.

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Child of Minerva (4) Steele and Marion COHEN.

1. Son (Name unknown)

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Child of Lindsay (4) STEELE and Sarah Perkins.

1. Olie (5) m: J. W. Heine. No Issue.

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SIXTH GENERATION

Children of Joseph (5) STEELE and Ellen Campbell.
(All b: at Sparta, Ill.)

1. Everett (6) b: 23 Apr., 1877; m: 17 Jan., 1906, at St. Louis, Carrie Johnson. No Issue. Businessman—retired.
Res.: St. Petersburg, Fla.
2. Joseph Campbell (6) b: 11 Mar., 1880; m: 2 Sept., 1913, at Bunker Hill, Ill., Marie Hintz, b: 26 June, 1882, at Bunker Hill. Served

as Mayor of Granite City, 1913-15; City Atty. 3 terms; Asst. States Atty. 1916-28; Master in Chancery for City Court, and Circuit Court. No Issue. One adopted daughter—Mrs. Joseph Bartylak of Collinsville, Ill.

Res.: Granite City, Ill.

*3. William John (6) b: 12 July, 1882; m: 28 June, 1924, at St. Louis, Mo., Ivy Kunnemann, b: 15 May, 1892, at Nameoki, Ill. Businessman—Real Estate, Loans and Insurance. (The Steele-Kunnemann Agency.)

Res.: Granite City, Ill.

4. Nellie Kathleen (6) b: 23 Aug., 1887; d: 10 Sept., 1951, at Sparta. Unmarried. For many years a beloved kindergarten teacher. As the result of her untiring efforts the greater part of the STEELE data here presented was compiled.

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SEVENTH GENERATION

Children of William John (6) STEELE and Ivy Kunnemann.
(All b: at Granite City, Ill.)

1. John Howard (7) b: 16 Mar., 1927; d: 25 Feb., 1937, at Granite City.

2. Everett Glenn (7) b: 8 Aug., 1929; m: 22 Aug., 1959, at Mattoon, Ill., Josephine Irene Price, b: 15 Jan., 1931, nr. Mattoon. Businessman—Real Estate, Loans and Insurance. (The Steele-Kunnemann Agency.) Served as Private and Corporal, Adjutant General's Dept., U. S. Army, Korean War.

Res.: Granite City.

3. Carol Jeanette (7) b: 4 Aug., 1931; m: 31 May, 1958, at St. Johns, Mo., Kenneth Walter Holbert, b: 1 Feb., 1920, at St. Louis, Mo. Chemist, Monsanto Chem. Co. Served as Private and Corporal, 81st Chemical Battalion, World War II. Silver Star Medal, Purple Heart, Presidential Unit Citation. Wounded in action in Normandy Campaign near Convains, France, 16 June, 1944.

Res.: Granite City, Ill.

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THOMPSON

About 1763 Robert THOMPSON, wife Mary Doris, and children emigrated from North Ireland to Abbeville County, S. C. He was a farmer and blacksmith. Because of active aid given the Colonial forces during the War of the American Revolution, his blacksmith shop and farm were repeatedly raided by the Tories, who in 1779 burned the home, blacksmith shop and crops, and destroyed the fences. At least one son served with South Carolina troops during this war.

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Robert (1) THOMPSON b: in North Ireland; d: 1772 in Abbeville Co., S. C.; m: in North Ireland, Mary Doris, b: in North Ireland; d: 1779, in Abbeville Co.

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Children of Robert (1) THOMPSON and Mary Doris.
(All except John Porter and Mollie b: in No. Ireland.)

1. William (2) b: 24 Mar., 1745; d: Abbeville Co., S. C.

2. Robert (2) b: 11 Jan., 1750; d: in Abbeville Co.

*3. Mary (2) b: 27 Dec., 1753; d: in Abbeville Co.; m: in Abbeville Co., James Crozier, b: in No. Ireland; d: in Abbeville Co. (Will dated 27 May, 1779, proved 7 Apr., 1789.) (For children see CROZIER—3.)

4. Elizabeth (2) b: 13 Aug., 1758; d: Abbeville Co.; m: in Abbeville Co., Robert Pressley, d: Abbeville Co.

*5. Archibald (2) b: 3 Sept., 1760; d: 15 Sept., 1833, nr. Preston (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: abt. 1784, in Abbeville Co., Mary McBride, b: in North Ireland; d: 15 Sept., 1833, nr. Preston, Ill. Farmer. Served as a soldier with S. C. troops during the War of the American Revolution. In 1804, together with his brother James, and their families moved to Randolph Co., Ill., settling near the present town of Preston. Judge of Common Pleas Court in Randolph Co.; a member of the Ill. Legislature at the time of his death.

6. Moses (2) b: 16 Dec., 1762; d: in Abbeville Co.; m: _____
_____. No Issue.

*7. James (2) b: 1763; d: nr. Preston; m: in Abbeville Co., Peggy Guthrie, d: nr. Preston. Farmer. Served as a Ranger against the Indians. Moved with his brother, Archibald, and their families to Randolph Co. in 1804, settling near the present town of Preston.

*8. John Porter (2) b: 24 Apr., 1767, in Abbeville Co.; d: in Abbeville Co.; m: in Abbeville Co., Mary Glasgow, d: before 9 May, 1832, in Abbeville Co. She was a daughter of John Glasgow, d: before 1832, in Abbeville Co.; and his wife, Mary _____, d: prior to 9 May, 1832, in Abbeville Co. Following the death of John Porter THOMPSON, she m: (2) _____ Gibson.

9. Mollie (2) b: June, 1769, in Abbeville Co.; d: in Abbeville Co.

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THIRD GENERATION

Children of Archibald (2) THOMPSON and Mary McBride.

1. Jennett (3) b: 18 Aug., 1788, in Abbeville Co., S. C.; d: _____
_____ in Randolph Co., Ill.; m: in Randolph Co., John Irwin.
2. Robert (3) b: 23 Mar., 1790, in Abbeville Co.; d: 31 Aug., 1859,
in Randolph Co.; m: in Randolph Co., Polly Hill, d: in Randolph Co.
Issue.
- *3. William (3) b: 4 Mar., 1792, in Abbeville Co.; d: 12 Dec., 1867,
in Randolph Co.; m: in Randolph Co., Mary Agnes Campbell, b: 1793
in Abbeville Co.; d: 25 Sept., 1837, in Randolph Co. (See CAMP-
BELL—3.)
4. Moses (3) b: 30 Nov., 1793, in Abbeville Co.; d: 1 Feb., 1848,
in Randolph Co.; m: in Randolph Co., Lucy Henderson, d: in Randolph
Co.
5. Archibald (3) b: 8 Aug., 1795, in Abbeville Co.; d: Jan., 1854,
in Randolph Co.; m: in Randolph Co., Elizabeth Anderson.
6. Mary (3) b: 19 July, 1797, in Abbeville Co.; m: in Randolph
Co., Samuel Douglas.
7. John (3) b: 10 Sept., 1799, in Abbeville Co.; d: 16 Jan., 1835,
in Randolph Co.; m: in Randolph Co., Jane C. McBride, d: in Ran-
dolph Co.
- *8. Margaret (3) b: 11 Aug., 1801, in Abbeville Co.; d: 9 Oct., 1890,
nr. Evansville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: in Randolph Co., James THOMP-
SON, (3) (John Porter (2), Robert (1)) b: 2 Jan., 1789, in Abbeville
Co.; d: 6 Oct., 1872, nr. Evansville. (For children see James (3)
THOMPSON & Margaret (3) THOMPSON.)
9. Elizabeth (3) b: 16 Feb., 1806, in Randolph Co.; m: in Ran-
dolph Co., Samuel Hill.
10. Hannah (3) b: 16 Dec., 1807, in Randolph Co.; d: 13 July, 1884;
m: (1) in Randolph Co., Robert Pollock. Issue. m: (2) in Randolph
Co., William McDill. Issue.
11. James (3) b: 1 Jan., 1810, in Randolph Co.; d: 12 July, 1835,
in Randolph Co.; m: 29 July, 1833, in Randolph Co., Sarah Pillers. After
his death she m: (2) Samuel B. Crozier (See CROZIER—4.)

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Children of James (2) THOMPSON and Peggy Guthrie.

1. Robert (3) b: in Abbeville Co., S.C.; d: in Randolph Co., Ill.;
m: Sarah Beattie. Issue.
2. Archibald (3) d: young, unmarried.
3. Mary (3) Unmarried.

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Children of John Porter (2) THOMPSON and Mary Glasgow.
(All b: in Abbeville Co., S.C.)

1. Elizabeth (3) d: young, in Abbeville Co. Unmarried.

*2. Mary (3) d: nr. Evansville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: in Abbeville Co., James Glasgow, b: in Abbeville Co.; d: nr. Evansville, Ill.

After their marriage they moved to Randolph Co., Ill., settling near the present town of Evansville.

*3. James (3) b: 2 Jan., 1789; d: 6 Oct., 1872, nr. Evansville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: 9 Oct., 1817, in Randolph Co., Margaret (3) THOMPSON, (Archibald (2), Robert (1)) b: 11 Aug., 1801, in Abbeville Co.; d: 9 Oct., 1890, nr. Evansville.

With younger brother, Samuel Glasgow THOMPSON, he moved to Randolph Co., Ill., in 1814, settling first in Kaskaskia where he taught school for three years, later moving nr. the present town of Evansville where he developed a farm. Farmer, Surveyor and Judge; Randolph Co. Commissioner 1820, County Surveyor 1821, Captain of Militia 1822, Judge of the Probate Court 1831-48. A noted County and United States Surveyor, he was selected in 1830 by the three trustees of the Illinois and Michigan Canal Commission to make the original survey of the Canal; to plot Chicago on the northern end, and Ottawa, Ill., at the southern end. Chicago (then Fort Dearborn) as surveyed by him was three eighths of a mile square along the banks of the Chicago River, bounded by State, Des Planes, Kinzie & Madison Streets. He named Randolph, Washington, Franklin, Jefferson and Clinton Streets after his home or nearby counties, while Clark Street he named for Gen. George Rogers Clark, the hero of Kaskaskia. The seven families residing there lived within the limits of the military reservation, which was not included in the survey. By family tradition he scorned payment for this service in city lots, but requested and obtained as payment a well-bred mare which he admired. This animal later became a well-known brood mare on his farm in Randolph County. In 1917 the City of Chicago dedicated a monument to him in the Preston Cemetery, Randolph Co., Ill. A Captain in the 3rd Regiment, 3rd Brigade, Illinois Mounted Volunteers in Black Hawk War (1832), the roster of his company included the following kinsmen—Corporals Archibald Crozier and James Thompson; Privates Andrew Crozier, James Milligan, Absolom McBride, James and George Steele. The late J. B. Dodge of St. Louis, Mo., a historian and student of early Southern Illinois history wrote me "I once worked on his farm, and remember many stories about him. Once while a teacher, he was challenged to a duel by the father of a student he had thrashed. He accepted, and as the challenged party specified as weapons very tight boots to be worn by both parties, and for position that they stand ten paces apart and kick vigorously at each other, thereby living to become wiser men and better friends. His terms brought such derision to the challenger that it did much to discredit the spirit of dueling in Randolph Co."

*4. Samuel Glasgow (3) b: 7 Apr., 1799; d: 30 Jan., 1851, nr. Evansville, (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: 23 Dec., 1819, in Randolph Co., Ill., Mary Ann Crozier, b: 24 Aug., 1797, in Abbeville Co., S. C.; d: 5 May, 1853, nr. Evansville. (See CROZIER—4). With his elder brother, James THOMPSON, he moved to Randolph Co. in 1814, settling in Kaskaskia. Farmer, Surveyor and County Official. Served as county surveyor and in

the United States surveying service for many years. Captain in the 2nd Regiment Illinois Militia 1821-24, Justice of the Peace 1823 and 1835, Treasurer of Randolph Co. 1824, School Commissioner 1833, Superintendent of Schools 1840, Representative of Randolph Co. in the State Legislature 1836-8. Letters written from Vandalia (then State Capital) to his wife, then living in Kaskaskia, Ill., in Feb., 1837, give interesting sidelights on the customs of the times. One reads in part:

"I can truly say that I am tired of the busy scenes of a public life. My ambition and curiosity are fully satisfied. . . . We are progressing yet but slowly in legislative business. . . . The internal improvement bill has again been called up and much angry debate had thereon, which has thrown the members into much confusion. . . . On Sunday evening last Col. Field of Vandalia, and Murry McConnel met at the grocery . . . they were soon in a passion. Field drew his dirk, but before he could use it McConnel brought him to the floor with a chair. . . . On Monday evening Mr. Linder and Mr. Riley, one a senator, the other a representative, met at the barber shop. After a few words, which originated on the propriety of the passage of this bill and other matters, Linder drew his pistol, and fired on Riley, the pistol being loaded with slugs and held so near Riley's breast they did not penetrate his skin to do much injury. . . . I have so far been treated with respect and friendship by every person with whom I have become acquainted. . . . I have learned many useful lessons, which I think will be profitable to me for the future. One of these I will mention now, the others when I see you . . . when a man is doing well at home with his family, he had better stay there, if he is an honest man."

Excerpts from another:

"I am still of the opinion that we will adjourn, either on the 27th or 28th of this month . . . Therefore I hope you will send a horse for me. . . . Should my horse come you may expect me home on Friday the 3rd day of March. . . . It is unnecessary that I should enter into a detail of our proceedings, it would only be perplexing and uninteresting. Suffice it to say, that the acts and doings of this legislature is calculated to bring down the curses of God and man upon a majority of the members thereof."

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FOURTH GENERATION

Children of William (3) THOMPSON and Mary Agnes Campbell.
(All b: in Randolph Co.)

1. Jane (4) d: in Randolph Co.; m: in Randolph Co., Cadwell Evans, d: in Evansville, Ill. Founder of the town of Evansville (Randolph Co.) Ill. Issue.

2. Polly Ann (4) m: 8 July, 1840, in Randolph Co.; Francis Nifong. Issue.

3. John Campbell (4) m: Mary Jane Wright. Issue.

4. Margaret Caroline (4) Unmarried.

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Children of Mary Thompson (3) and James GLASGOW.

1. John (4) m: Polly Ann Thompson. (dau. of William Thompson and Ann Morrow). Issue.

2. Giles (4) Unmarried.

3. Thomas (4) m: (1) _____; m: (2) Etta Ray. Issue.

*4. Elizabeth (4) m: James C. Campbell. (For children see CAMPBELL—4).

*5. Nancy (4) b: 1813; d: 1876, in Randolph Co., Ill.; m: Samuel Campbell, b: 1803, in Abbeville Co., S. C., d: 1856, in Randolph Co. (For children see CAMPBELL—4).

6. Polly (4) m: Silas Finley. Issue.

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Children of James (3) THOMPSON and Margaret (3) THOMPSON.
(All b: in Randolph Co., Ill.)

1. Mary Emiline (4) b: 14 Dec., 1818; m: in Randolph Co., George Cochran. One son, Samuel B., a soldier in the Union Army, was killed in action on 25 Nov., 1863, at Battle of Missionary Ridge, Chattanooga, Tenn.

2. John Porter (4) b: 7 July, 1820; d: 14 Mar., 1851, in Randolph Co.; while serving as sheriff. Unmarried.

*3. Archibald C. (4) b: 5 Sept., 1822; d: 13 Sept., 1902; m: Nancy Hill, b: 25 Dec., 1829; d: 11 Nov., 1909.

4. Eliza Jane (4) b: 17 Mar., 1825; m: (1) Benjamin Pope Simmons M.D. Issue. m: (2) James A. J. Martin. No Issue. m: (3) Samuel Hill Douglas. No Issue.

5. Margaret Caroline (4) b: 29 May, 1827; d: in Kansas; m: Rev. Duncan McCawley, d: in Kansas. Issue.

6. Nancy Lucinda (4) b: 14 Dec., 1829; d: 1 Aug., 1832, in Randolph Co.

*7. James Doris (4) b: 30 Oct., 1831; m: Elizabeth A. McDonald.

8. Samuel H. (4) b: 16 May, 1834; d: 1902; m: (1) Elizabeth Wiley. Issue. m: (2) Antonette Tockslein. Issue. m: (3) Mrs. Anna Tucker Difani. Issue.

*9. Robert Preston (4) b: 27 Jan., 1837; d: 7 July, 1892; m: Nancy Miller.

10. Hannah Amanda (4) b: 25 Sept., 1839; d: 3 Sept., 1847, in Randolph Co.

11. Nancy Ann (4) b: 5 Jan., 1842; d: 27 Aug., 1888; m: James T. Douglas. Issue.

12. Sarah Annis (4) b: 17 Dec., 1843; m: Samuel H. Douglas. Issue.

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Children of Samuel Glasgow (3) THOMPSON and Mary Ann Crozier.
(All b: in Randolph Co.)

- *1. Samuel Crozier (4) m: Mary C. Campbell.
- 2. John M. (4) m: (1) Esther Ann Harmon. m: (2) Sarah Barnett.
- 3. Emily (4) m: Jacob Hawkins. Issue.
- 4. Polly Ann (4) m: Montgomery Barnett. Issue.
- 5. Nancy (4) b: 4 Feb., 1827, nr. Preston, Ill.; d: 2 Aug., 1902, at Coulterville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: (2nd wife) 18 Nov., 1847, nr. Preston, Anthony Steele, b: 20 Sept., 1815, nr. Steeleville (Randolph Co.), Ill.; d: 4 Aug., 1898, at Coulterville, Ill. (For children see STEELE—5).

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FIFTH GENERATION

Children of Archibald C. (4) THOMPSON and Nancy Hill.
(All b: Randolph Co.)

- 1. Samuel H. (5) d: in infancy.
- 2. Edward R. (5) b: 6 Nov., 1850; d: 5 Sept., 1915. Unmarried.
- 3. Margaret Adeline (5) b: 5 Nov., 1852; m: Hiram Rhodes. Issue.
- 4. Elizabeth J. (5) b: 5 Mar., 1854; Unmarried.
- 5. Anna W. (5) b: 17 Sept., 1857; d: young.
- 6. Mary Ella (5) b: 27 Sept., 1860; m: Joseph Cressey. Issue.
- 7. John Porter (5) m: Mrs. Catherine Kauffmann. No Issue.

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Children of James Doris (4) THOMPSON and Elizabeth A. McDonald.

- 1. Rose (5).
- 2. James G. (5) m: Mary L. Mann. Issue.
- 3. Clara (5) m: Charles Mann.
- 4. Lillie (5) m: Herbert Beattie. Issue.
- 5. Thomas (5) m: Flora Wright.

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Child of Robert Preston (4) THOMPSON and Nancy Miller.

- 1. Ada (5) m: _____ Cobb.

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Children of Samuel Crozier (4) THOMPSON and Mary C. Campbell.

- 1. Samuel (5) m: _____. Issue.
- 2. Abraham (5) m: _____. No Issue.
- 3. Elizabeth (5) m: William Devinny. Issue.
- 4. Nora (5) d: Marissa, Ill.; m: Thomas M. Meek, Atty.; d: Marissa, Ill. Issue.

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NOTES ON
THE CRAWFORDS OF BALLYNEASE,
LONDONDERRY, IRELAND AND THEIR
DESCENDANTS IN THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA

CRAWFORD

According to Anderson "Crawford, Crauford or Craufurd is a surname derived from the barony of Crawford in Lanarkshire, (Scotland) of which the origin is unknown.

"The family of Crawford is of undoubted Norman origin. The site of the ruins of Crawford Castle is still called Norman Gill, and the early names of this family are all pure Norman. In 1127 there were two brothers of this name, knights, sons most probably of Reginald, namely Sir John Crawford and Sir Gregan Crawford, both in the service of King David the First."

Major branches of the family later developed in Ayrshire and in Renfrewshire. Crawford is a lowland clan.

William Crawford of Crawfordsburn, near Toowoomba, Queensland, Australia, compiled and published the descendants of Hugh Crawford from Kilbirnie, Ayrshire, Scotland, the first known progenitor of this branch of the family. Registers of Kilbirnie prior to 1688 are not extant, and attempts to establish the ancestry of Hugh through researches in Scotland, have been unsuccessful.

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Hugh (1) CRAWFORD b: at Kilbirnie, Ayrshire, Scotland; d: in Ayrshire; m: in Ireland _____. He emigrated from Ayrshire to Ireland in 1709 (the cold winter), purchased a farm on the river Moyola near Castle Dawson, Londonderry, returned to Scotland in his later years, and there died.

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Children of Hugh (1) CRAWFORD and _____.
(All b: nr. Castle Dawson, Londonderry.)

1. Hugh (2) b: 1719; d: 1823, nr. Castle Dawson; m: (1) _____
_____. Issue. m: (2) Ann Dickey, b: in Antrim; d: _____
_____, Ireland. Issue.

Purchased a farm in the townlands of Killybasky and Drummard, near Moneymore.

2. John (2) m: _____. Purchased a farm in the townland of Gortanury, near Magherafelt. Issue.

*3. William (2) b: 1730; d: Aug., 1834, at Ballynease; m: Grace McIntyre, b: at Stewartstown. Purchased a farm in the townland of Ballynease nr. Portglenone.

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THIRD GENERATION

Children of William (2) CRAWFORD and Grace McIntyre.
(All b: at Ballynease, nr. Portglenone, Londonderry.)

*1. John (3) b: 1766; d: Feb., 1860, at Ballynease; m: Elizabeth Barclay, b: at Tyance nr. Portglenone.

2. Hugh (3) b: 1775; d: 30 Dec., 1847; m: 1798, Jane Barclay, b: at Tyane. Issue. Their second son William (4) (1804-1825) m: Matilda (4) CRAWFORD (David (3) Hugh (2) Hugh (1)). They were the parents of William (5) (1825-abt. 1918, m: Mary Jane Godfrey) who in 1861 emigrated with his family to Queensland, Australia, where he purchased a farm he named Crawfordsburn—near Toowoomba. He prospered and left a family of four sons and seven daughters. To him we are indebted for our knowledge of our Scotch-Irish forebearers.

3. Jane (3).

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FOURTH GENERATION

Children of John (3) CRAWFORD and Elizabeth Barclay.
(All b: at Ballynease.)

*1. William (4) ("Big Bill") b: abt. 1796; d: suddenly in Aug., 1842, at Ballynease; ("Inflammation of the bowels") m: Ester Canning, (a dau. of Charles Canning at Upperland) b: at Upperland; d: 16 Dec., 1847, at Ballynease ("of fever").

2. Elizabeth (4).

3. Mary (4).

4. Sarah (4).

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FIFTH GENERATION

Children of William (4) CRAWFORD and Ester Canning.
(All b: at Ballynease.)

*1. Mary Ann (5) b: 4 June, 1832; d: 15 Jan., 1889, in Clay Co., Kan.; m: 14 Dec., 1854, in Randolph Co., Ill., William McNeil, Jr., b: 16 Mar., 1832, in Grand Isle Co., Vt., d: 26 Sept., 1900, in Clay Co., Kan. Moved from Randolph Co., Ill., to a farm near Olatha (Johnson Co.) Kan., in 1865, and to a farm in Clay Co., Kan., abt. 1873.

*2. Elizabeth (5) b: 4 May, 1834; d: 1 Jan., 1915, in Cloud Co., Kan.; m: 26 Oct., 1854, in Randolph Co., Ill., Nathaniel Black, b: 1832, in Randolph Co., Ill.; d: 1912, in Cloud Co., Kan. Moved from Randolph Co., Ill., to Johnson Co., Kan., about 1865, and to Cloud Co., Kan., about 1875, where he was a farmer.

*3. Sarah Jane (5) b: 12 Dec., 1835; d: 3 July, 1915, at Kansas City, Mo.; m: 17 Mar., 1864, at Coulterville (Randolph Co.) Ill., John Patterson Orr, b: 23 Oct., 1829, in Scotland; d: 6 Feb., 1875, at Olatha, Kan. In 1866 moved to Olatha, Kan., where he farmed for a few years, then became a merchant, owning and operating a general store.

*4. William John (5) b: 29 Jan., 1838; d: 29 Nov., 1897, at Coulterville, Ill.; m: (1) 17 May, 1866, nr. Steeleville (Randolph Co.) Ill., Mary Ann Steele, (5th from John (1) STEELE and Robert (1) THOMPSON (see STEELE—5) b: 2 Sept., 1849, nr. Steeleville; d: 26 May, 1884, at Coulterville; m: (2) 21 Apr., 1886, at Jordan's Grove,

Ill., Volumnia Jane Burnette, b: 21 Aug., 1848, at Jordan's Grove; d: 4 Oct., 1933, at Marissa, Ill. No Issue.

A merchant in Coulterville for many years.

*5. Thomas (5) b: 1840; d: 13 July, 1892, at Coulterville, Ill.; m: Elizabeth Caldwell, b: 7 Mar., 1844, in Warren Co., Ill.; d: 30 Oct., 1918, at Du Quoin, Ill. They moved to Morse, Kan., where they lived for three years, then returned to Coulterville where he owned and operated a hardware store for many years. Served as a Private in 10th Mo. Infantry during Civil War.

6. Charles (5) b: abt. 1841. Served as a Private in 10th Mo. Infantry during Civil War. Following this war he moved south where he died a young man. Date and place of death unknown. Unmarried.

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Ballynease Crawfords are buried in Ballaghy Churchyard, Drummard Crawfords in Desertlin—Old Churchyard, and Killybasky Crawfords in Lissan Churchyard; all in Londonderry, Ireland.

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The children of William (4) Crawford and Ester Canning were left orphans when the eldest child was only 15 years of age. A member of a neighboring family who had earlier emigrated to the United States returned to Ireland to assist in the disposal of the ancestral farm, and to bring the children to this country. The farm was sold to the kinsman William (5) Crawford who emigrated to Australia in 1861. The children under the protection of their friend, emigrated to the United States on 12 Oct., 1848, where their funds were exchanged into U. S. currency by their protector. Very shortly thereafter he advised them that their money had been stolen from him, and that they were penniless. They were brought by him to Coulterville (Randolph Co.) Ill., where they obtained such work as was available in their new home, the older girls mothering the younger children until the time that they became independent.

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SIXTH GENERATION

Children of Mary Ann (5) Crawford and William McNEIL, JR.

1. William John (6) b: 25 Sept. 1855, in Randolph Co., Ill.; d: 29 Mar., 1932, at Centralia, Wash. A farmer, he owned land in Kansas and California. Unmarried.

2. Robert James (6) b: 11 Feb., 1857, in Randolph Co., Ill.; d: in Okla.; m: 1887, in Kan., Maggie Young; d: in Okla. Farmer. Moved from Kan. to Oklahoma in 1910. Issue.

3. Thomas Alexander (6) b: 4 Oct., 1858, nr. Sparta (Randolph Co.,) Ill.; d: 25 May, 1907, nr. Miltonvale, Kan.; m: 6 Apr., 1867, at Concordia, Kan., Sarah Louise Carothers, b: 16 Sept., 1871, at Bloomington, Ill.; d: 7 May, 1953, nr. Miltonvale, Kan. Issue.

4. Charles Garner (6) b: 26 Sept., 1860, nr. Sparta, Ill.; d: 24 Feb., 1939, at Centralia, Washington; m: 24 Sept., 1887, at Clay Center, Kan.,

May Bell Marshall, b: 4 May, 1867, in Washington Co., Iowa; d: 21 May, 1937, Centralia, Wash. Issue. Farmer, furniture merchant and undertaker, city councilman, Presbyterian elder. Moved to Wash. in 1928. A daughter Verna Lorena (7) McNeil, Centralia, Wash., by her untiring efforts compiled the records of the Black and McNeil families for this history.

5. Calvin Todd (6) b: 15 May, 1862, nr. Sparta, Ill.; d: 16 Feb., 1918, at Miltonvale, Kan.; m: 17 Apr., 1895, at Minneapolis, Kan., Edith Scott, b: 17 Nov., 1873, at Council Hill, Ill.; d: 22 May, 1953, at Miltonvale. Issue.

6. Renwick Crawford (6) b: 25 Dec., 1863, in Randolph Co., Ill.; d: 29 Jan., 1887, in Clay Co., Kan. Farmer. Unmarried.

7. Martin Luther (6) b: 24 June, 1866, nr. Olatha, Kan.; d: 15 June, 1926, at Wallace, Idaho. Mining stock broker. Unmarried.

8. Matthew Henry (6) b: 19 Mar., 1868, nr. Olatha, Kan.; d: 22 Aug., 1869, nr. Olatha, Kan.

9. Mary Jane (6) b: 22 Oct., 1869, nr. Olatha, Kan.; d: 25 June, 1936, at Canon City, Colo.; m: 24 June, 1914, at Miltonvale, Kan., Ward B. Newton. No Issue.

10. Edward (6) b: 30 May, 1871, in Johnson Co., Kan.; d: 7 Dec., 1928, in Clay Co., Kan.; m: 2 Oct., 1894, Lillie Virginia Des Jardins, b: 7 Apr., 1876, in Canada; d: 27 Aug., 1943, at Clay Center, Kan. Farmer. Issue.

11. David Orr (6) b: 23 Nov., 1872, in Johnson or Clay Co., Kan.; d: 27 Jan., 1938, at Canon City, Colo. Farmer. Unmarried.

12. Joseph White (6) b: 14 Oct., 1878, in Clay Co., Kan.; d: 18 Oct., 1918, at Idana, Kan.; m: 13 Mar., 1907, at Morganville, Kan., Drusilla Garret, b: 30 Nov., 1884, nr. Morganville, Kan. Wheat farmer, breeder of blooded horses. Issue.

Her Res.: Wichita, Kan.

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Children of Elizabeth (5) Crawford and Nathaniel BLACK.

1. Andrew (6) b: 22 Aug., 1855, in Randolph Co., Ill.; d: 16 Feb., 1912, in Cloud Co., Kan. Unmarried.

2. Ester Jennie (6) b: 15 Feb., 1857, in Randolph Co., Ill.; d: 22 Mar., 1920, at Belleville, Kan.; m: 29 Mar., 1883, at Clay Center, Kan., Michael Bambauer, b: 12 April, 1851, in Ramsen (Bavaria) Germany; d: 4 Aug., 1913, at Belleville, Kan. He emigrated to U.S. in 1871. Tailor-musician. Issue.

3. William John (6) b: 6 Jan., 1860, in Randolph Co., Ill.; d: 1926, at Clay Center, Kan.; m: at Junction City, Kan., Emma Smith.

4. Elizabeth (6) b: 22 Oct., 1862, in Randolph Co., Ill.; d: at Enid, Okla.; m: at Clay Center, Kan., William Walker, b: in Clay Co., Kan.; d: at Enid, Okla. Businessman—real estate. Issue.

5. Robert T. (6) b: 15 Apr., 1863, in Randolph Co., Ill.; d: 1941, at Clay Center, Kan.; m: in Clay Center, Kan., Mary Ball, b: at Miltonvale, Kan.; d: at Topeka, Kan. Farmer. Issue.

6. Mary Ann (6) b: 3 Mar., 1865, in Randolph Co., Ill.; d: 3 May, 1943; m: 5 Nov., 1900, at Concordia, Kan., Adam Moore, b: 10 Apr., 1855, in Indiana; d: 3 Mar., 1927, at Miltonvale, Kan. Farmer. Issue.

7. Charles G. (6) b: 3 Aug., 1867, in Johnson Co., Kan.; d: 1877, near Clyde, Kan.

8. Sarah Addie (6) b: 13 Mar., 1869, in Johnson Co., Kan.; d: 10 Feb., 1894, at Beatrice, Neb. Unmarried.

9. Nancy Ellen (6) b: 28 Aug., 1871, in Johnson Co., Kan.; d: 17 Sept., 1956, at Belleville, Kan.; m: 8 May, 1890, at Belleville, Kan., Marshall Morris Donges, b: 12 May, 1865, at Pittsburg, Pa.; d: 23 Jan., 1950, at Belleville, Kan. Businessman. Issue.

10. Emma May (6) b: 26 May, 1874, nr. Clyde, Kan.; d: 6 May, 1959, at Belleville, Kan.; m: 1904, at Belleville, Kan., Buford T. Weaver, d: 16 May, 1936, at Belleville, Kan. Restaurant owner. Issue.

11. Lula (6) b: 20 Mar., 1876, nr. Clyde, Kan.; d: 5 Nov., 1947, at Clay Center, Kan.; m: 31 May, 1895, at Clay Center, Kan., Albert Hawley McNee, b: 23 June, 1868, in Waverly, Iowa; d: 21 Feb., 1934, at Clay Center, Kan. Farmer. Issue.

12. Laura (6) b: 6 Feb., 1879, nr. Clyde, Kan.; m: 5 Dec., 1902, at Concordia, Kan., Andrew Nicholas Seifert, b: 28 Aug., 1877, at Washington Co., Kan. Jeweler.

Res.: Clyde, Kan. Issue.

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Children of Sarah Jane (5) Crawford and John Patterson ORR.
(All except Elizabeth Hadasha b: at Olatha, Kan.)

1. Elizabeth Hadasha (6) b: 24 Mar., 1865, at Pretty Ferry, Ill.; d: 30 Dec., 1925, at Kansas City, Mo.; m: 30 Jan., 1884, at Olatha, Kan., Renwick Samuel Woodside, b: 13 Feb., 1858, at Coulterville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; d: 3 July, 1934, at Kansas City, Mo. Issue.

2. Mary Ann (6) b: 12 Dec., 1866; d: 5 May, 1868, at Olatha, Kan.

3. William James (6) b: 1 Feb., 1868; d: 26 Sept., 1951, at Denver, Colo.; m: 6 Jan., 1906, at Leadville, Colo., Margaret O'Malley, b: 8 May, 1882, at Leadville; d: 26 Sept., 1956, at Leadville. Postmaster at Leadville 1929-33. Issue.

4. Adelia May (6) b: 30 July, 1869; d: 1 Aug., 1943, at Kansas City, Mo. Unmarried. A teacher of the deaf for 30 years.

5. Margaret Jane (6) b: 23 Nov., 1870; d: 31 Jan., 1875, at Olatha.

6. Emma Laura (6) b: 2 Feb., 1872; d: 6 Mar., 1957, at Kansas City, Mo. Unmarried. Dressmaker.

7. Clara Ellen (6) b: 9 Aug., 1873. Unmarried. Businesswoman (Retired).

By her untiring efforts she compiled the records of the Orr family for this history.

Res.: Kansas City, Mo.

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Children of William John (5) CRAWFORD and Mary Ann Steele.
(All b: at Coulterville (Randolph Co.) Ill.)

*1. Mary Elizabeth (6) b: 23 Mar., 1867; d: 27 June, 1947, at Chattanooga, Tenn.; m: 5 May, 1898, at Coulterville, John Wylie Robertson, M.D.; b: 1 Aug., 1861, nr, Sparta (Randolph Co.) Ill.; d: 26 July, 1943, at Coulterville. Presbyterian elder for many years. Country doctor 1889-1943. Killed while enroute to visit a patient when his motor car was struck by an Illinois Central RR engine.

(For child see ROBERTSON—7.)

2. Lora Etta (6) b: 26 May, 1868; d: 10 Jan., 1883, at Coulterville.

3. Nancy Lillian (6) b: 24 Nov., 1870; d: 18 May, 1871, at Coulterville.

*4. Olive Inez (6) b: 27 Oct., 1875; d: 4 June, 1933, at Cincinnati, Ohio; m: 5 Oct., 1904, at Coulterville, Rev. Ernest McLeod Elsey, b: 19 Mar., 1875, at Wymon, Iowa; d: 6 Oct., 1944, at Detroit, Mich. Presbyterian minister for many years. (For children see ELSEY—7.) He m: (2) 8 July, 1937, at Detroit, Clara Elizabeth McDonald, b: 6 May, 1896, at Troy, Mich. No issue.

*5. Etna Claire (6) b: 26 June, 1878; m: (2nd wife) 6 May, 1902, at Coulterville, William Vernon Matthews, b: 9 Nov., 1863, nr. Tilden (Randolph Co.) Ill.; d: 21 Nov., 1931, at Saulte Ste. Marie, Mich. Engineer. (For children see MATTHEWS—7.)

Her Res.: Battle Creek, Mich.

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Children of Thomas (5) CRAWFORD and Elizabeth Caldwell.

1. Warren (6) b: at Morse, Kan.; d: aged 12 years, at Coulterville, Ill.

*2. Andrew Renwick (6) b: 29 Jan., 1869, at Morse, Kan.; d: 24 Jan., 1950, at Detroit, Mich.; m: abt. 1900 at Coulterville, Maggie McBride, b: at Coulterville; d: at Detroit, Mich. For many years a merchant in Coulterville, he later moved to Detroit, Mich.

*3. Charles Garner (6) b: 27 Sept., 1871, at Coulterville; d: 26 Apr., 1944, at Los Angeles, Calif.; m: 4 Sept., 1898, at Hoyleton, Ill., Bertha Caroline Keller, b: at Hoyleton. Moved from Ill. to Calif. in Sept. 1923. Deputy county recorder.

Her Res.: Los Angeles, Calif.

*4. Theron Elihu (6) b: 11 Mar., 1877, at Coulterville; m: 15 June, 1898, at Carbondale, Ill., Charlotte Emmeline Phelps, b: 5 Feb., 1878, at Grand Tower, Ill. Retired. For many years a station agent, Illinois Central R. R.

Res.: Du Quoin, Ill.

5. Esther (6) b: and d: at Coulterville; aged 6 yrs.

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SEVENTH GENERATION

Child of Andrew Renwick (6) CRAWFORD and Maggie McBride.

1. Helen (7) b: abt. 1903, at Coulterville, Ill. m: _____.
Res.: Detroit, Mich.

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Children of Charles Garner (6) CRAWFORD and Bertha Caroline Keller.

1. Harry Jacob (7) b: 9 Sept., 1899, at Nashville, Ill.; m: 4 Sept., 1936, at Los Angeles, Calif., Pauline Hofmann, b: in Minn. Foreman of Mosquito Control. No Issue.

Res.: Los Angeles, Calif.

2. Lillian Edna (7) b: in Ill.; m: 27 July, 1932, Everett Layman, b: in Mo. Real estate broker. No Issue.

Res.: Los Angeles, Calif.

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Child of Theron Elihu (6) CRAWFORD and Charlotte Emmeline Phelps.

1. Virginia (7) b: 10 July, 1899, at Nashville, Ill.; m: 21 Apr., 1916, at Monticello, Ill., Walton Frank Jones, b: 29 Sept., 1893, at Marissa, Ill.; d: 9 Nov., 1954, at St. Louis, Mo. Industrial engineer. Issue.

Her Res.: St. Louis, Mo.

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- a. Miss Verna Lorena (7) McNeil, Centralia, Wash.
- b. Miss Clara Ellen (6) Orr, Kansas City, Mo.
- c. Theron Elihu (6) Crawford, Du Quoin, Ill.
- d. Harry Jacob (7) Crawford, Los Angeles, Calif.

NOTES ON
BRANCHES OF THE
ELSEY, GARVEN, MATTHEWS AND ROBERTSON
FAMILIES WHO ARE
DESCENDED THROUGH PIONEER FAMILIES
OF RANDOLPH AND PERRY COUNTIES,
ILLINOIS, AND THE CRAWFORDS
OF BALLYNEASE.

ELSEY

The name is of Danish origin. The first of record in England is Swajne Ulci who landed in what is now Lincolnshire during a Viking invasion about 620 A.D. He acquired considerable land, some of which is still occupied by the family. The name appears as Ulci, Ulsi, Alsi, Elsi and Elsey. The name Elsi appears nineteen times in the Domesday Book (Charles Gowan Smith translation, 1870) among the names of those who held land in Lincolnshire at the time of Edward the Confessor (1042-1066) but disappears in 1066 at the time of the Norman Conquest. The first to use the modern spelling was Thomas Elsey of Low Toynton, Lincolnshire in 1693.

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The name, or year of entry of the immigrant who established this branch of the family in our country is unknown.

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Rev. Ernest McLeod ELSEY b: 19 Mar., 1875, at Wyman, Iowa; d: 6 Oct., 1944, at Detroit, Mich.; m: 5 Oct., 1904, at Coulterville (Randolph Co.) Ill., Olive Inez Crawford, (6th from Hugh(1) CRAWFORD, John (1) STEELE and Robert (1) THOMPSON—see CRAWFORD—6) b: 27 Oct., 1875, at Coulterville; d: 4 June, 1933, at Cincinnati, Ohio. A Presbyterian minister, they lived in several different states during the years of his active ministry. He m: (2) 8 July, 1937, at Detroit, Clara Elizabeth McDonald, b: 6 May, 1896, at Troy, Mich. No Issue.

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Children of Rev. Ernest McLeod ELSEY and Olive Inez (6) Crawford.
(Both b: at Glen Campbell, Pa.)

1. Mary Mildred (7) R.N., b: 1 Sept., 1905.
Res.: Cincinnati, Ohio.

*2. Edward Crawford (7) M.D., F.A.C.R. b: 30 May, 1907; m: 27 Dec., 1934, at Cincinnati, Isabella Maxwell Lee, b: 28 Dec., 1910, at Ironton, Ohio. Radiologist. Served as Major to Colonel, Medical Corps, U.S. Army, World War II.

Res.: Cincinnati and Belaire, (Torch Lake) Mich.

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THIRD GENERATION

Children of Edward Crawford (7) ELSEY and Isabella Maxwell Lee.
(All b. at Cincinnati).

1. Edward Crawford, Jr. (8) b: 24 Sept., 1938.
2. Lewis Earle Lee (8) b: 4 Nov., 1940.
3. Elizabeth Lee (8) b: 12 Dec., 1942.
4. Caroline Crawford (8) b: 19 May, 1949.

References:

1. Personal Communications: Dr. Edward Crawford (7) Elsey Cincinnati, Ohio. (1959-60).

GARVEN

About 1840 George Elsworth Garven, together with a brother and sister emigrated from Scotland to Randolph Co., Ill., and developed a farm near the present town of Sparta.

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George Elsworth GARVEN b: 17 Mar., 1823, in Scotland; d: 29 July, 1880, nr. Sparta, Ill.; m: nr. Sparta, Elizabeth Gordon, b: abt. 12 Nov., 1826, nr. Sparta, d: abt. 12 Feb., 1898, at Sparta. Farmer.

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Elmer GARVEN (only son of George Elsworth Garven and Elizabeth Gordon) b: 2 July, 1861, nr. Sparta, Ill., d: 22 Nov., 1947, at Coulterville, (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: 11 Dec., 1884, nr. Steeleville, Ill., Caroline Steele (5th from John (1) STEELE and Robert (1) THOMPSON—see STEELE—5) b: 25 June, 1869, nr. Steeleville; d: 23 July, 1933, at Coulterville. They lived in Coulterville where he was a carpenter and building contractor.

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THIRD GENERATION

Children of Elmer GARVEN and Caroline (5) Steele.
(All b: at Coulterville)

*1. George Elsworth (6) b: 22 Nov., 1885; m: 15 Apr., 1915, at St. Louis, Mo., Mae Elizabeth Murphy, b: 13 June, 1887, at Oakdale, Ill. Jeweler—George E. Garven and Son.

Res.: St. Louis, Mo.

2. Hilda (6) b: 4 Feb., 1888; m: 31 Mar., 1929, at Coulterville, Clarence Pearl Taylor, b: 6 Aug., 1889, nr. Rardin, Ill. Telegraph Operator—Clerk, Illinois Central R.R. (Retired). No Issue.

Res.: Coulterville.

3. Elbert (6) b: 5 Apr., 1896; d: 25 Nov., 1943, at Coulterville. Carpenter and building contractor. Served as Corporal, Infantry. U.S. Army World War I.

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FOURTH GENERATION

Children of George Elsworth (6) GARVEN and Mae Elizabeth Murphy.
(Both b: at St. Louis)

*1. George Gerhardt (7) b: 2 July, 1916; m: 27 Nov., 1941, at St. Louis, Josephine Henrietta Gauss, b: 10 July, 1918, at St. Louis. Businessman. Served as Sergeant, U.S. Army Air Corps, World War II.

Res.: Oklahoma City, Okla.

*2. Robert Paul (7) b: 9 Sept., 1921; m: 10 Nov., 1950, at St. Louis, Mary Louise Bond, b: 8 Feb., 1929, at Jackson, Miss. Jeweler—George E. Garven and Son. Served as Corporal U.S. Army Air Corps, World II.

Res.: St. Louis.

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FIFTH GENERATION

Children of George Gerhardt (7) GARVEN and Josephine Henrietta Gauss.

(All b: at St. Louis).

1. Kathleen (8) b: 10 Apr., 1948.
2. George McClay (8) b: 13 Jan., 1953.
3. Robert Lee (8) b: 21 Apr., 1954.

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Children of Robert Paul (7) GARVEN and Mary Louise Bond.
(Both b: at St. Louis).

1. Carol Ann (8) b: 14 Dec., 1952.
2. Paul Stephen (8) b: 5 Nov., 1955.

References:

Personal Communications. (1959-60.)

- a. George Elsworth (6) Garven, St. Louis, Mo.
- b. Hilda (6) Garven Taylor. Coulterville, Ill.

ROBERTSON

The name of a Highland clan, called in Gaelic the clan Donnachaidh (Children of Duncan), of which Robertson of Strowan in Perthshire is the chief. Anderson states "Skene, however, in his History of the Highlanders, traces them from Duncan, King of Scotland, eldest son of Malcolm III, their immediate ancestor being Conan, second son of Henry, fourth and last of the ancient Celtic Earls of Atholl. . . . From his son, Robert Riach (grizzled), who succeeded him, the clan derive their name of Robertson. This Robert was noted for his predatory incursions into the Lowlands, and is historically known as the chief who arrested and delivered up to the vengeance of the government, Robert Graham and the master of Atholl, two of the murderers of James I, for which he was rewarded with a crown charter, dated in 1451, erecting his whole lands into a free barony. He also received the honourable augmentation to his arms of a naked man manacled under the achievement, with the motto, *Virtutis gloria merces*. He was mortally wounded in the head . . . in a conflict with Robert Forrester of Torwood, with whom he had a dispute regarding the lands of Little Dunkeld. . . . He had three sons: Alexander, Robert and Patrick. . . . The force which the Robertsons could bring into the field was estimated at 800 in 1715 and 700 in 1745."

The immigrant who established this branch of the family in our country was Robert, second son of William ROBERTSON and Jeanette McKirday who lived and died in Scotland. He visited America in 1841, returned to Scotland where he married, and in 1849 emigrated to Randolph Co., Ill., purchasing a farm near Sparta.

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Robert ROBERTSON b: 5 May, 1818, at Lochwinnoch, Renfrewshire, Scotland; d: 25 Aug., 1899, nr. Sparta; m: 12 Nov., 1844, in Paisley, Renfrewshire, Jane Duncan, b: 27 Mar., 1825, in Scotland; d: 31 Oct., 1894, nr. Sparta. Farmer, school director, charter member of the First Presbyterian Church of Sparta. He revisited Scotland about 1879, and returned to his home near Sparta depressed by the cold climate, the difficulties of the Scots in earning a living and the large amounts of whiskey which his boyhood friends consumed.

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John Wylie ROBERTSON, M.D. (Second son of Robert Robertson and Jane Duncan) b: 1 Aug., 1861, nr. Sparta; d: 26 July, 1943, at Coulterville (Randolph Co.) Ill.; m: 5 May, 1898, at Coulterville, Mary Elizabeth CRAWFORD, (6th from Hugh (1) CRAWFORD, John (1) STEELE, and Robert (1) THOMPSON—see CRAWFORD—6) b: 23 March, 1867, at Coulterville; d: 27 June, 1947, at Chattanooga, Tenn. Country doctor 1889-1943, Presbyterian elder for many years. Killed while enroute to visit a patient, when his automobile was struck by an Illinois Central R. R. engine.

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THIRD GENERATION

Child of John Wylie ROBERTSON and Mary Elizabeth (6) Crawford.

*1. Robert Crawford (7) M.S., M.D., F.A.C.S., b: 29 July, 1899, at Coulterville; m: 7 Sept., 1925, at Arkadelphia, Ark., Frankie Marion Condray, M. Ex. b: 5 Mar., 1900, at Arkadelphia. Orthopaedic surgeon. Served as Private and 2nd Lieutenant Infantry, U. S. Army, World War I; and as Lt. Colonel and Colonel, Medical Corps, U.S. Army, World War II. Orthopaedic Consultant, U.S. Army Forces Central Pacific, Pacific Ocean Area and Mid-Pacific. Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, Purple Heart, Presidential Unit Citation (Philippines). Wounded in action in Battle of Leyte, Philippine Islands, 25 Oct., 1944.

Res.: Chattanooga, Tenn.

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FOURTH GENERATION

Children of Robert Crawford (7) ROBERTSON and Frankie Marion Condray.

(Both b: at Chattanooga, Tennessee.)

*1. Elizabeth Eugenia (8) b: 17 April, 1930; m: 25 July, 1953, at Chattanooga, Stephen Tripp Smith, M.A., b: 12 Sept., 1930, at New Bedford, Mass. Junior H. S. teacher—science & mathematics. Served as Private to 1st Lieutenant Artillery, U. S. Army, Korean War.

Res.: Moorestown, N. J.

2. Mary Louise (8) b: 8 Sept., 1934; m: 26 March, 1960, at Chattanooga, Thomas Burke Hodgson, b: 25 Apr., 1935 at Athens, Ga. Physicist—Radio Corporation of America.

Res.: Philadelphia, Pa.

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FIFTH GENERATION

Children of Elizabeth Eugenia (8) Robertson and Stephen Tripp SMITH, M.A.

(Both b. at Riverside, N. J.)

1. Robert William (9) b: 29 Dec., 1958.

2. Brian Condray (9) b: 18 Sept., 1960.

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